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Canadians Smash Counter-Attack by Germans in Italy

Repulse Nazis in Two-Hour Battle—Disclose Princess Pats in Action

ALGIERS, Nov. 23 (AP).—Eight Canadian units of the British Eighth Army smashed a counter-attack by substantially strong German forces about 12 miles south of Ortona in the Central Italian sector after a two-hour battle, the Allied Command said today, and it disclosed also that the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry is among the Dominion's forces in Italy.

The battle took place against a backdrop of burning towns and villages being destroyed in the Germans "scorched-earth" withdrawal to their Winter line.

Naming of the Princess Pats followed the customary manner of recognizing a regiment's gallantry in battle but the Allied headquarters announcement did not directly link them with the Agnone battle. The Pats, a permanent force unit from Western Canada, fought with distinction in the first Great War and in Sicily. Today's disclosure was the first official indication of their presence in Italy.

Announcement of Canadian participation in the fighting was taken to mean that the Dominion's troops, who had been resting after their strenuous campaign through Italy's mountainous backbone, are back again on the Eighth Army's left flank. Previous dispatches from the front had told of Canadian patrol activities along the Bangro River.

Throughout the mountainous inland sector, about 40 miles from the Adriatic, the enemy was firing and dynamiting everything he could not carry with him to his powerful new anti-studded defence line. Smoke shrouded the horizon as the cities of Castel di Sangro and Alfedena burned through the second day. Castel di Sangro, important junction of interior roads, is about 15 miles west across rugged country from Agnone which is on the Vasto-Isernia highway. Alfedena is about five miles southwest of Castel di Sangro.

While the Canadians repelled the

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Assured of Success in New Drive

Makin Atoll Already Taken by Americans

PEARL HARBOR, T.H., Nov. 23 (AP).—Success of the first American offensive of the war in the Central Pacific is assured, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz announced today. Already the 27th Division has captured Makin atoll. The capture of Tarawa, where the Marines have consolidated their positions, is certain. Amphibious forces cracked the beach defences of both pieces last Saturday.

The situation on Abemama atoll, 70 miles south of Tarawa, was reported well in hand. The Marines' landing there was announced only yesterday.

An excellent bomber field within striking distance of strong Japanese bases in the Marshall Islands to the north will become available with the capture of Tarawa. Fighting on Tarawa was believed to be confined to Betio Island, which has air base facilities. The enemy was strongly entrenched on Betio, at the middle western tail of Tarawa atoll. The island is a sand waste less than two miles long and about 1,000 yards wide.

The Marines are making good progress on Betio. Where it was indicated they had landed on the western end of the islet and had pushed the Nipponese back to the eastern portion.

Makin, to the north of Tarawa, is entirely in American hands, a headquarters said. Forces there are

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Price of Coal May Go Up to Pay for Boost

Board Critical of U.M.W.A. for Strike

EDMONTON, Nov. 23 (CP).—The United Mine Workers of America Union tonight was under fire of the three-man Royal Commission which investigated demands of the union after issuance of a strike call affecting 4,000 miners of Alberta and British Columbia.

The commission report, released today by Mr. Justice C. B. O'Connor, chairman, awarded wage increases and two weeks' annual vacation with pay to the men, members of District 18 of the UMWA, but declared the strike call was "illconceived, unwarranted and against the national interest."

Dealing with the 41-day increase to miners "not above the rank of foreman or comparable rank," the report said that "notwithstanding its findings that the applicants have brought themselves within section 25 of the Wartime Wages Control order, the commission frankly admits that the increases actually recommended are in the nature of a compromise recommended by the action of the miners at the outset of the Winter season and the shortage of coal reserves in the West.

"Time has been a factor in the preparation of this report and the commission reports that it did not have an opportunity for more careful consideration of the problems involved. It sympathizes with the efforts of those responsible for the application to better conditions in the industry but unanimously condemns the methods adopted by the

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Report Mussolini As "Aged and Sick"

BERNE, Nov. 23 (AP).—Benito Mussolini, aged and sick, is fighting his way to health, the Italian correspondent of the German newspaper Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung said today in a report of a visit to the former Italian dictator.

A round-about dispatch from Zurich, Switzerland, reaching London via Stockholm on Monday night said Mussolini was reported to have committed suicide at his Lake Garda villa. This report could not be confirmed.

Hid in Hole to Escape Draft

LONDON, Nov. 23 (AP).—Max Lestrell, 24-year-old farmer of the Bonneville district, loaded up with provisions and hid in a specially-prepared dugout in the bush for a year after he was placed in A-1 category by army doctors, he told the court today. He was arrested by the R.C.M.P. officers.

His explanation for his action was that he had been "afraid" he would be sent to any one in the army because of a chronic heart ailment, and he felt a year in the bush might do him cure.

The court observed his "fear" of being unfit for service didn't square with his medical report and he was sentenced to serve three months in jail and fined $50, or in default of payment an additional three months.

Berlin, Paralyzed by Bombs, May Never Recover From Blow

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 23 (AP).—The nerve centre of Hitler's Government in the Wilhelmstrasse was paralyzing blow Monday in the greatest volume of explosive and incendiary bombs yet dropped on Berlin, travellers from the stricken Nazi capital said tonight.

Hitler's home adjoining the Reichschancellery was set afame and that of Foreign Minister Ribbentrop was destroyed. (A Berlin radio broadcast said Hitler's home was destroyed.) The home of Propaganda Minister Goebbels, fronting on the Hermann Goering Strasse and just behind the United States Embassy, was gutted and burning.

The Foreign Office, between Hitler's home and the President's palace, was ablaze and the British Embassy building, near Unter Den Linden at the end of the Wilhelmstrasse, was destroyed.

The correspondent of the Stockholm newspaper Aftonbladet quoted Berlin residents as saying "Berlin can never recover from this blow."

The Aftonbladeen correspondent said preliminary Nazi estimates of dead and injured totaled 10,000 and that the Nazis officially announced a "very large number of casualties."

The centre of the sprawling city of 4,000,000 was particularly hard

Top Prize in Warfare in Italy

—By R. G. Lambert, King Features Syndicate

The great industrial region north of the River Po, for which the most determined fighting in the Italian campaign appears likely to occur, for it is the most valuable prize in the contest. This is the Lombardy Plain, with its extraordinary number of civic centres, as it appears from Rimini Venice and the mouth of the River Po. Germans are "digging in" along Po.

Nazis Suffer Heavy Losses in Fierce Hand-to-Hand Battle

Enemy Counter-Attack Rises to New Intensity on Russian Front

LONDON, Nov. 23 (AP).—The German counter-attack in Russia, rising to new intensity, wrested several populated places from the Russians today after hand-to-hand fighting and savage gun duels in which more than 100 German tanks were destroyed and 2,000 Nazi soldiers were killed, Moscow announced tonight.

The Russians failed to locate the places they evacuated, but said the Germans were flinging large forces of tanks and infantry into their counter-attacks in the Chernyakhov-Brusilov area of the Northern Ukraine.

Here, where the Russians reach farthest west, and have retreated from Zhitomir, the Germans were smashing at the flank of the Soviet Army's Kiev salient.

Chernyakhov is 13 miles north of Zhitomir on the Zhitomir-Korosten railway, while Brusilov—mentioned for the first time by the Russians—is 36 miles west of Zhitomir and only 45 miles west of Kiev—suggesting new German gains toward the Ukraine capital.

RUSSIAN PLANES IN ATTACK

The Moscow midnight communique supplement said Russian planes struck massed blows at German lines "and at their reserves." Nineteen German planes were reported shot down in air combat in this area.

German radio commentators continued to speak cautiously of their counter-attack, and the High Command merely reported advances "which pierced the Russian line of defence."

But the Germans reported other important Russian drives concerning which the Soviet communique was silent. The drives through breaches in the German White Russian line, appeared aimed at Orsha and Mogilev.

The Red Army was said to have forced two large gaps in the German

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Population of B.C. 859,729

VANCOUVER, Nov. 23 (CP).—Greater Vancouver and New Westminster population has reached 415,388, according to August ration book population figures revealed here today.

This includes West Vancouver North Vancouver and district east to Deep Cove, New Westminster and parts of adjoining communities, Burnaby and Richmond.

The ration figures reveal Vancouver has 306,161 residents and British Columbia 859,729.

Population in the Lower Mainland, bounded by Hope, Powell River and Blaine, has a population of 464,252.

Burnaby has 32,000 inhabitants and New Westminster 35,718.

Deny New Drive By Montgomery

LONDON Nov. 23 (CP).—German reports that General Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's British Army has launched an attack at the eastern end of the Italian front were authoritatively denied tonight. Weather conditions also had and there is little activity, it was said.

Sources pointed out that when conditions are bad the Germans are in the habit of putting out reports of a big British attack and when nothing happens they try to convince the German people the "big attack" has failed.

Echoing German reports of a new offensive the Vichy radio, in a dispatch recorded by Reuter's News Agency said today it was launched after heavy artillery preparation with active air support.

According to the latest reports attacks of the British Army confronted with Canadian elements were repulsed north of the Sangro by German infantry and anti-tank forces," the Vichy radio said.

PLOT UNCOVERED

TEGUCIGALPA, Honduras, Nov. 23 (AP).—A plot to assassinate President Gen. Tiburcio Carias and to kidnap his wife and daughter "was uncovered Sunday, the Government announced today in a communique which said several of the plotters had been arrested and had confessed. The communique said some members of the Presidential Guard were among the persons involved in the plot against Gen. Carias, who has been President of Honduras since 1933. The country remained quiet.

BULLETINS

KILLED BY BRIDGE

ST. PIERRE, Mass., Nov. 22 (CP).—Dr. John M. Dagas, 38, of St. Pierre, was shot and killed today while hunting near the Brookhead River, east of here. Police said a fellow hunter mistook him for a deer.

NEW AIR ROUTE

EDMONTON, Nov. 23 (CP).—Discovery today by Robert F. Patterson, United States underwriter of war, of a NorthWestern Canadian air ferry route from the United States to Russia, wasn't news to Edmonton residents. Eight months past military aircraft bearing the Red Star insignia of Russia have been seen over the city. The planes are transported by the United States Air Transport Command from United States factories to Edmonton and then along the string of Alaska Highway airports to Fairbanks. From Fairbanks the planes are flown to the Russian front.

L.N.S. Writer Hurt in Italy

WITH UNITED STATES FIFTH ARMY IN ITALY, Nov. 23 (AP).—Richard Tregaskis, International News Service war correspondent and author of "Guadalcanal Diary," was injured yesterday at the front when a shell splinter struck him in the head.

Doctors at an evacuation hospital said that Tregaskis was getting along nicely. After an operation, although it will be six months before he will be able to resume his duties as a correspondent.

The six-foot six-inch reporter was the fifth casualty among war correspondents in the Italian campaign. Jack Belden, of Time and Life magazine was wounded at the Salerno landing operations and later three British correspondents were killed when a shell hit their jeep.

C.C.F. Leader Lashes Out at Justice Minister St. Laurent

EDMONTON, Nov. 23 (CP).—M. J. Coldwell national leader of the C.C.F. party, declared at a public meeting tonight that the C.C.F. government in Canada would guarantee the rights of workers and farmers to organize in groups of their own choice free from interference from the leaders of the two provincial conventions of the party.

He was speaking at a public meeting against Minister of Justice St. Laurent, for what he termed a hypocritical denunciation of Harold Winch, leader of the C.C.F. in British Columbia.

Mr. Winch merely stated a democratic principle in his address at Calgary recently when he said a C.C.F. government, like any other government, would put on a sabotage or forcible resistance to the expressed will of the people, he said what is Mr. St. Laurent's record as Minister of Justice.

"For months he and his Government kept men in confinement without the kind of trial to which any Canadian is entitled and less than a month ago the Mounted Police, who are under his own department and who are paid by his own politicians, and workers were sent to Shawinigan Falls, Que., to assist in breaking the strike of the Public Utility Commission's report on the B.T. Service Company is nothing but a beautifully-reared pill which the taxpayers will have to swallow.

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Film Caused Mystery Blast

LONDON, Nov. 23 (CP).—Investigation of the explosion aboard a film vessel the mystery blast which killed 14 men and injured 200 in the building in London's East end by a bomb of Sydney and Friday night a police official said today.

At first the explosion had Londoners fearing the possibility of a new type of bomb. Later it was found that the vessel had not enough explosive was accumulated Saturday to dispatch a supposition.

Saboteurs Blow Up Two Power Stations

NEW YORK Nov 23 (AP).—Saboteurs today blew up two more Danish electric power stations, the news of Copenhagen and the other near the Swedish frontier, radio said in a broadcast reported in United States Government monitor.

Thirty-five documents found were destroyed in yesterday's fire at the shipyard at the Copenhagen navy yard, the broadcast said.

Two Men Killed in Crash at Vancouver

VANCOUVER Nov 23 (CP).—Two men identified by police as Alfred Hindell and John Pepoff were killed suddenly tonight when a car in a motorcade which they were riding went out of control on a city street and crashed into a railing and fell 46 feet to a street below.

Police said Pepoff was beaten and John Hindell fractured.

Pedestrians told officers the motorcade was proceeding at a fast clip along the Georgia Street viaduct and finally skidded through a railing.

Airman Killed

NORTH BATTLEFORD Sask. Nov 23 (CP).—One airman from No 35 Service Flying Training School R.A.F. was killed and another injured out in safety when their plane collided with another training machine near Little Manitou Lake 30 miles west of North Battleford today.

The second plane returned safely to the air station.

Fresh Destruction Rained on Berlin by Britain's Bombers

New Attack Follows History's Greatest Assault on Capital

LONDON, Nov. 24 (Wednesday) (AP).—R.A.F. bombers rained fresh destruction on Berlin last night as the German capital lay smoking and devastated under the weight of 2,000 long tons of explosives heaped upon it 24 hours earlier in a record assault by an armada of 1,000 British planes.

The raid apparently was carried out in great force. First announcement of the assault came from the German radio, which acknowledged that enemy raiders had smashed through Berlin's defences for the second successive night.

A British announcement subsequently confirmed the German report, but gave no details.

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

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LONDON, Nov. 23 — Exactly one year after the Red Army began its Stalingrad counter-attack, says The Times in a survey of Russian total lost of territory since then, it has made unbroken progress over 700 miles of territory until it is now within sight of the frontiers of Poland.

All the Germans can do now is to launch a counter-offensive against the Kiev salient with the most powerful panzer army it has at present in the field.

This same army struck at Stalingrad with disastrous results to itself.

Our secret of success has been the ability to switch powerful forces from one area to another within intermission, thus draining the German front to the breaking point.

The Times does not think the German reception of Zhitomir is great significance though it is a definite threat.

It will not however halt the Red Army's offensive and that is the impression it leaves that little of any kind. But if the Nazi offensive fails, disasters will be certain.

General Rokossovsky has already reached the Western Bug River of Napoleonic memory, says the Moscow correspondent of The Times. His forces have already cleared the Germans from many miles of the Upper Dnieper and are tightening the noose around the great bastion of Gomel, one of which would mean a further big enemy retirement.

Army troops have launched new attacks around Kremenchug. On

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Eddeh Leaves Lebanon Scene

CAIRO Nov. 23 (AP).—Emile Eddeh, French-appointed candidate for Premier of Lebanon has disappeared from the Lebanese capital, an official British announcement said tonight.

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Drop 142 Tons Of Bombs on Japanese Base

U.S. Bombers and Fighters in Assault

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Southwest Pacific, Nov 24.—Without a single loss from the United States bombers and fighters, based on Bougainville and Bougainville, dropped 142 tons of bombs and fired 70,000 rounds of ammunition on Tuesday against the Japanese base at Kahili, New Britain, setting great fires in one of a series of raids that struck at Japanese forces in the Southwest Pacific.

Heavy and medium bombers escorted by fighters and dive bombers pounded the Kahili area in a combined air and supply dump in an attack which caught the enemy napping. Only the Japanese antiaircraft fire and supply dumps in an attack which caught the enemy napping. Only the Japanese antiaircraft fire was met through anti-aircraft.

A heavy bomber caught a 7,000-ton Japanese freighter off the coast of New Ireland, scoring a direct hit and forcing the crew to abandon the ship.

Twenty-eighty fighter planes came from Vunakanau, Rabaul, on Bougainville Island in the Solomons to Kahili and strafed Kahili and made a hot reception from American fighters who dived down to attack the enemy group, the communique said.

The attack on Guadalcanal, while the heaviest of the week, caused only one of 11 aimed at enemy bases in the Solomons-New Guinea area.

ATTACK BLIN AIRBORNE, Base

Five bombers escorted planes and fighters attacked the Japanese Kara airdrome at Buin on the southern tip of Bougainville.

Kara on the southeast coast of

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Highlights of World News...

By The Canadian Press

AERIAL British bombers and shooting after RAF-RCAF dead grazing attack on Berlin. Nazis return air warfare on Monday night, Berlin's paper spokesman reports saying Berlin can never recover.

ITALY Lashes Canadian units of Eighth Army repel counter-attack of superior German force in central sector northwest of Agnone. Headquarters discloses Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry among Dominion forces in Italy.

RUSSIA Red Army yields several populated places in face of heavy Nazi counter-attacks.

PACIFIC Success of United States Central Pacific offensive unprompted accepted. Makin atoll in Tarawa captured. Tarawa's capture imminent, Abemama situation well in hand.

BALKANS Tuesday Partisans rolling to three islands off Phone, British Component announced that Saros Island lost to Germans.

Victoria Bank Debits Up to $42,100,000 During October

OTTAWA, Nov. 23 (CP).—Cheques cashed by the chartered banks against individual accounts totaled $4,654,206,673 during October, compared with $4,465,003,588 in September and $4,073,390,537 in October last year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

The 14.3 per cent increase over last October reflected "heavy pay- [illegible] the expansion of productive operations and moderate increases in prices."

Debits during the first ten months of this year totaled $43,032,809,594, compared with $38,365,082,620 in the same period of 1942, an increase of 18.3 per cent.

Increases were recorded for each of the five economic areas during October, the Prairie Provinces showing greatest expansion.

Bank debits are an important index of business activity since they show the volume of cheques issued against current and savings bank accounts.

Following October debits were reported, with figures for September, 1943, and October, 1942, in brackets (in millions of dollars).

Quebec—Montreal 1,145.4 (1,080.0, 1,028.1).

Ontario—Toronto 664.9 (1,055.8, 613.0).

Prairie Provinces — Brandon 7.7 (6.5, 7.3); Calgary 113.7 (106.8, 83.1); Edmonton 81.8 (82.8, 66.9); Lethbridge 8.6 (7.6, 6.1); Medicine Hat 6.3 (5.0, 6.2); Moose Jaw 12.1 (8.8, 10.8); Prince Albert 5.3 (4.6, 5.6); Regina 82.3 (58.6, 78.1); Saskatoon 18.2 (17.0, 17.4); Winnipeg 546.4 (470.0, 377.4). Totals 894.3 (769.8, 670.8).

British Columbia—New Westminster 14.0 (13.5, 13.7), Vancouver 233.8 (231.8, 188.8), Victoria 42.1 (40.8, 41.5). Totals, 289.8 (286.1, 254.6).

From Europe

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the Kiev front, the Nazi attacks have been held and the position stabilized, though the battle continues fiercely.

While Korostyshev stands the Red Army can not be driven back.

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The indication of disquiet on the Japanese home front is reported by the Delhi correspondent of The Times. High judicial officials, including public prosecutors, have been conferring at Tokio where Premier Tojo had some unpleasant facts to reveal.

He said it was now necessary to control public speech and prevent any split in national opinion. As the Japanese people are effectively muzzled, a split can only come in the highest circles.

Recently a prominent Fascist leader, Seigo Nakano, committed hara kari, leaving a will giving reasons for his suicide and facts about his expulsion from the Japanese Diet.

Nakano was a powerful political figure and former editor of the leading newspaper Asahi. He and his Fascists were strongly pro-German, but they failed to induce Tojo to give Germany more help in her struggle with Russia.

The Japanese are now building up extensive air raid defence services. These, as admitted by the Home Minister, have hitherto been very weak.

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The Germans have now begun to execute Danes. Two laborers, one accused of sabotage, the other of attacking a German soldier in a blackout, have been shot. The Nazis are constantly carrying out arrests of Danes whom they accuse of "illegal political activities."

The Polish National Council has officially issued in London the names of ten principal German [illegible] of Poland responsible for the slaughter of hundreds of thousands of Polish Jews.

Premier Mikolajczyk's wife has been sent to a concentration camp by way of revenge for her husband's political activities in England.

The Polish underground movement has secured the names of Himmler's henchmen guilty of this latest cruelty.

Scientists See Future Lights

NEW YORK, Nov 23 (AP).—Household lights of the future were shown to scientists and architects today.

Standing on a stage, lighted by a single ordinary home bulb, Samuel O Hibben, of the Westinghouse Company, unscrewed the lamp and put it in his pocket. He walked across the stage, pulled the bulb out of his pocket, and it was still as light as ever.

It would continue to give light for many minutes. Useful, he explained, when a person has to go walking around a dark house. The secret is a fluorescent material coating the bulb, this chemical glowing from the filament light inside, and preserving the glow for a long time afterward.

The war has stepped up the quality of these glow materials, many of which will continue to give light for hours. Hibben showed glowing materials which would serve all night as electric light switch plates, glowing door knobs, tool handles and stair raisers—all after being exposed to an ordinary electric light for a few seconds.

He displayed metal plates whose glow-treated surfaces continued to shine in darkness. The rear of an auto covered with this new paint would be as plain as in daylight, no matter how dark the night. He showed highway markers which emit their own light, from the energy absorbed during daylight. Even the momentary beams of passing headlights would renew these self-glowing markers.

Will Not Protest

WINNIPEG, Nov. 23 (CP). — Four aldermen, refusing to participate in a debate against release from internment of Sir Oswald Mosley, British Fascist leader, strode from the council chamber at the regular weekly meeting.

Labor Alderman John Blumberg last night sought to present a resolution of protest which he urged be sent to Prime Minister Mackenzie King for transmission to the British Government.

"I may awake tomorrow and find that Rudolph Hess has been released," Alderman Blumberg said.

"I will stand for no more," said Alderman H. C. Morrison as he walked from the council room.

Earlier, Aldermen F. O. Thompson, Hilda Hesson and R. A. Sara strode out.

Alderman Blumberg's motion was allowed to stand, pending "an explanation from the British Government."

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Wonders About Juvenile Case

WINNIPEG, Nov. 23 (CP). — Mr. Justice A. K. Dysart, Court of King's Bench, suggested today that the right of the Dominion Government to legislate as to what court shall try juveniles should be considered when the appeal of Leslie W. Young, juvenile charged with murder, is heard in the Manitoba [illegible].

He granted leave to appeal from a judgment of Judge F. A. E. Hamilton, of Juvenile Court, who ordered transfer of Young to city police court.

"I have been wondering," Mr. Justice Dysart said, "if the Dominion Government has the right to legislate as to what court shall try juveniles? That seems to me to be a matter for the province, and I would suggest that this question be considered when the appeal is argued."

The 17-year-old boy is one of three juveniles charged with the murder of Edwin Pearse, 58-year-old detention home guard, killed on November 11.

L. D. Morosnick, counsel for Young, opposed Judge Hamilton's transfer order, arguing against publicity of city police court hearings for juveniles.

New-Type Plane

OAKLAND, Cal., Nov. 23 (AP).—A new-type army training plane, designed to speed up the student pilot programme, reduce accidents and save money and equipment, was demonstrated for the first time on the West Coast today by the IV Fighter Command.

The plane, known as the TP-39 Aircobra, was developed by the Bell Aircraft Corporation at the request of the Fighter Command here, which submitted the original plans.

The new trainer, identical with the standard P-39 Aircobra but with a few modifications, is the first single-seater fighter plane trainer to have a set of controls allowing handling from either of two seats. The student rides in the front cockpit.

The Air Corps said the new plane was designed because of the difficulty encountered in transition of pilots from training airplanes to the much faster fighting ships used in combat.

Canadian Flyers Back Home Again

OTTAWA, Nov. 23 (CP).—As carefree a bunch of flyers as ever hit this national capital arrived tonight aboard a special train carrying several hundred officers and men of the R.C.A.F., repatriated back to Canada for leave or new duties.

The officers and men, many of them home for the first time in three years, fairly bubbled over with mirth and they didn't let anything interfere with their fun.

Most of the men will leave the repatriation pool tomorrow for their homes in various parts of the Dominion. Some may return overseas after leave.

Those wearing decorations included F.O. R. W. Morrison, D.F.C., Winnipeg; Flt. Lt. L. S. Anderson, D.F.C., Calgary; F.O. B. E. Johnston, Winnipeg; P.O. R. H. Probert, D.F.C., Moose Jaw.

Also in the group was Sgt. J. E. Patterson, Winnipeg, a radio technician, who served with the R.A.F. in China, India and Burma. Sergeant Patterson was in Penang when Singapore fell.

LABOR GOVERNORS MEET

MONTREAL, Nov. 23 (CP). — Edward J. Phelan, acting director of the International Labor Office, announced tonight that the office's governing body would meet in London on December 16. Principal points to be decided at the meeting, Mr. Phelan said, would be the date, place and agenda of a regular session of the International Labor Conference.

Gen. Patton Apologizes For Striking Soldier

ALGIERS, Nov. 23 (AP).—It was disclosed officially today that Lt.-Gen. George S. Patton had apologized to all officers and men of the American Seventh Army for striking a soldier during the Sicilian campaign.

At the same time Allied headquarters said that correspondents might reveal all of the facts they knew of the incident which since last August has been one of the main subjects of discussion among soldiers in this theatre.

While Patton was not relieved of his command of the Seventh Army and was not given a formal reprimand, he received a castigation from Gen Dwight D Eisenhower such as has seldom been administered to a commander of an army.

The story is a strange one—the story of a general who in the heat of battle lost his temper and later admitted he was wrong and made amends.

The incident consisted of this, according to eyewitnesses.

Gen. Patton slapped a shell-shocked soldier in a hospital tent because he thought the soldier was shirking his duty.

The incident occurred early in August when the Sicilian campaign was in one of its most critical periods.

Patton visited the evacuation hospital and went among the wounded, trying to cheer them. He patted some on the back, sympathising with them.

He then came upon a 24-year-old soldier sitting on a cot with his head buried in his hands, weeping.

"What's the matter with you?" Patton asked, according to persons who were in the hospital tent at the time.

The soldier mumbled an inaudible reply. Patton repeated his question.

"It's my nerves. I guess I can't stand shelling," the boy was quoted as replying.

CALLS SOLDIER A "COWARD"

Patton thereupon burst into a rage. Employing much profanity he called the soldier a "coward," "yellow belly," and numerous other epithets, according to those present. He ordered the soldier back to the front.

The scene attracted several persons, including the commanding officer of the hospital, the doctor who had admitted the soldier and a nurse.

In a fit of fury in which he expressed sympathy for men really wounded, but made it plain that he did not believe that the soldier before him was in that class, the general struck the youth in the rear of the head with the back of his hand.

The soldier fell over slightly and the liner of his helmet which he was wearing fell off and rolled over the floor of the tent.

A nurse, intent on protecting the patient, made a dive toward Patton but was pulled back by a doctor. The commander of the hospital then intervened.

Patton then went before other patients, still in high temper, expressing his views. He returned to the shell-shocked soldier and berated him again.

The soldier appeared dazed as the incident progressed but offered to return to the front and tried to rise from his cot.

Patton left the hospital without making further investigation of the case.

The facts concerning the soldier were later ascertained. He was a regular army man who had enlisted before the war. He fought throughout the Tunisian and Sicilian campaigns and his record was excellent. He had been diagnosed as a medical case the week previously, but had refused to leave the front and continued on through the strain of battle. He finally was ordered to the hospital by his unit doctor.

After Patton left, the soldier demanded to return to the front. This request was refused at the time but after a week of rest he was in good shape and returned to his unit at the front.

INCIDENT REPORTED TO EISENHOWER

The incident was reported to Eisenhower. The commander-in-chief immediately wrote Patton a letter in which he denounced his conduct and ordered him to make amends or be removed from his command.

"The old man certainly took the hide off him," an Allied headquarters spokesman said.

Patton's conduct then became as generous as it had been furious.

He apologized to the soldier whom he had struck, to the commander of the hospital and to all those present at the time.

He then went before as many officers and men as could be assembled from each division under his command and repeated his apology.

At the close of the campaign in talking to correspondents, Patton, after recounting the history of the Sicilian drive, said:

"When these things are happening a commanding general is under great nervous tension. He may do things that he may afterward regret. I know a great many people regard me as a . . .

"But I have patted five soldiers on the back for everyone I have spoken a harsh word to. I dealt harshly with a couple of soldiers and was wrong. I am going to apologize to them."

The incident reflected the character of Patton—a general who drives both himself and his men to the very limit in battles, who is highly emotional at times and is given to outbursts when under strain.

But he is regarded by many officers as the best field general in the American Army.

A headquarters announcement yesterday had said:

"Gen Patton is commanding the Seventh Army, has commanded it since it was activated and is continuing to command it. Gen Patton has never been reprimanded at any time by Gen Eisenhower or by anyone else in this theatre. . . . No report has ever reached this headquarters of any soldier refusing to obey an order by Gen Patton."

On Sunday night, Drew Pearson had broadcast from Washington that Gen Patton had been "severely reprimanded" by Gen Eisenhower. The radio commentator expressed the opinion that Gen Patton would not "be used in combat anymore."

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Italian Front

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thrust toward Agnone, taken by General Sir Bernard Montgomery's Eighth Army veterans three days ago, other units cleared the enemy from additional heights overlooking Alfedena from the southeast. These units were within a few miles of the upper reaches of the Sangro River.

The German High Command claimed Montgomery's troops had launched strong attacks against [illegible] at the Adriatic end of the battle line and that "numerous violent attacks were repulsed and one local dent was sealed off"—an action not confirmed by Allied sources. This was the first indication from either side that the Eighth Army had succeeded in crossing the Sangro in strength at any point.

Although less rain fell in the last day and night, a headquarters communique said the battle area still was a "sea of mud" and streams were in flood.

The Allied heavy bomber fleet remained in its hangars for another day, but all other types of planes from fighters to medium bombers were out in strength co-operating with the army, especially in the Lanciano and Fossacesia area just behind the German line at the Adriatic end of the front.

Night bombers on Monday night attacked two enemy airfields and railway yards near Ciampino, an important railroad town only five or six miles southeast of Rome. Medium bombers, escorted by fighters, attacked railway centres and airfields at Foligno, 43 miles northeast of Rome, and bombed road and railway targets along Italy's east coast.

For the second straight day Civitavecchia harbor northwest of Rome on the west coast was given a heavy pounding by fighter bombers. One Allied plane was lost in all operations.

Saanich Council Has Full Agenda

Saanich Municipal Council last night discussed business arising out of a full agenda of 30 items, chief among which was a ten-month financial report; reading of the Sayward-Piercy Water Works By-Law for the construction of waterworks in the lake district of Ward Five, and final arrangements for a vote on that by-law as well as for the municipal election of December 18.

The waterworks by-law, involving total debentures of $50,805, will be voted upon by the citizens in the area concerned on December 11, and at the same time a by-law repealing the former Sayward-Piercy by-law of April, 1942, will be put before the voters. W. A Greene, municipal clerk, will act as returning officer for both this and the municipal election to be held a week later.

Permission was granted a resident to build a chicken house. Councillor J. L. Hobbs stated he believed the resident would improve that locality and the applicant, who was present, said, "If I'm not an asset to the district you can kick me out."

Application by the owner of a converted trailer at an auto camp, which was "complete in every detail and like a reel doll's house," to connect up with the sewer was refused. The building inspector recommended that the owner comply with building regulations.

An offer to buy a lot and old house, condemned by the authorities, for the sum of $350 was accepted. It was stipulated that work on demolition be started within 30 days and completed in three months. Councillor K. W. Richmond commented it was a very good offer.

The question of whether pigeons were poultry or not came up when a letter asking permission to erect a seven-foot fence was read. The fence was intended to partly conceal a pigeon loft. F. S. Green, building inspector, said the seven-foot fence was against regulations, but would not impede the view on the road. Reeve E. C. Warren stated that a limit of 25 was set on poultry kept, but was not certain if pigeons were in that category.

OPPOSE SPENDING WATERWORKS FUNDS

A communication from the secretary of Saanich Ratepayers' Association was filed. The association opposed the spending of $50,000 of waterworks funds. "We can't spend it at this time since the by-law isn't passed," Reeve Warren stated.

Dominion restriction of buildings to 900-foot floor space will remain in force, a letter from H. Schofield stated, because any change involved a change for the whole Dominion and was not advisable at the present time. Exceptions could be made in special cases as where a family was very large, or if space was needed on the main floor for a heating unit.

Fuel by-law controlling the measuring of millwood, and all firewood, and the weighing of coal and sawdust was laid on the table so that provision for the regulation of sacks used in delivery of sawdust may be made.

W. A. Greene's financial statement covering ten months of this year showed sales of reverted property to be almost double that of last year, a total in 1943 of $10,600.54, and the lowest annual tax sale on record, $484, of purchases by the corporation.

Expenditures of all departments are reported as "within the estimates," with the exception of approximately $800 "unforeseen over-expenditure" in a murder investigation.

"Sinking funds accounts are in excellent condition showing a gross surplus of $29,317."

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 23 (AP).—Count Bernadotte, nephew of King Gustav V of Sweden, who was caught in last night's raid on Berlin while traveling from a Geneva Red Cross meeting to Stockholm, said tonight "Now I know what total war means."

Canadians Report Opposition Light While Bombing Berlin

AN R.A.F. STATION SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Nov. 23 (CP).—Flaming, exploding Berlin was without a strong defense Monday night, when British and Canadian bombers struck it the most devastating aerial blow of the war.

At this base a returning R.A.F. squadron, which includes many Canadians, reported no losses and [illegible] plane was sighted—and that one didn't attack.

Scores of R.C.A.F. Lancasters and Halifaxes from the Canadian Bomber Group were included in the 1,000 aircraft that plastered Berlin. Four R.C.A.F. planes failed to return.

"Berlin will be nothing but a Hamburg if we put on a couple more of these shows," said Flt. Sgt. Emmett MacNeeley, Humboldt, Sask., who assisted in the pulverizing raids on Hamburg. He is a veteran of 17 operations.

There were audible signs of relief in the control room of this base as the first of the returning Halifaxes made their landings. And a cheer went up when "X for X-ray," the last of them, came in safely.

Flt. Sgt. Tommy Schioler, Winnipeg, F.O. Frank Hurley, Winnipeg, and F.O. Frank Enfield, Hamilton, Ont., agreed smilingly that the trip wasn't a difficult one. They called it "enjoyable." Hurley had been over Berlin four times before and had expected a rougher time.

"Some flak exploded beneath the wing and knocked the controls from my hands," he said, "but we dived 2,000 feet and I regained control.

Canadian Bomber Group airmen on the raid included:

Manitoba—P.O. S. R. Kelso, Roblin; P.O. W. G. Crawford, Winnipeg.

Saskatchewan—P.O. Bill Conley, Humboldt; P.O. Bob McLean, Lumsden; F.O. J. G. Hillman, Melrose; Flt. Sgt. F. J. Davie, Biggar; F.O. T. L. Granger, Truax.

Alberta—P.O. Bill Nevlor, Coleman.

British Columbia—Sgt. Armour Emerson, Smithers; Flt. Sgt. W. B. Byers, Vancouver.

Form New Office For Army Paper

LONDON, Nov 23 (CP).—Sir James Grigg, Secretary of State for War, announced in the House of Commons today that a new War Office branch is being formed to give advice to British Army newspapers and to help by supplying material.

He made the statement after Commander Locker-Lampson, Conservative, asked whether the minister's attention had been drawn to the character of The Eighth Army News. He also requested identification of the proprietor, editor and author of an article which attacked Gracie Fields, British music hall star.

Sir James replied that the paper was issued to the Eighth Army and run by an editorial staff responsible to the general officer commanding. He added it owed its popularity with the troops to the freedom with which it expressed the army's views.

An article in The Eighth Army News in October charged that Gracie Fields had let the Eighth Army down by leaving too soon during her tour of the area. Subsequently, The Daily Mail reported in an Algiers dispatch that Prime Minister Churchill had ordered censorship of articles appearing in The Eighth Army News as a result of its publication of the criticism of Miss Fields. The Mail said other articles "dealing with Italy also met with his disapproval."

Protests Duke's New Appointment

CANBERRA, Nov. 23 (CP).—Although he received some support from two other ministers, Transport Minister Edward Ward did not press his objections in connection with the appointment of the Duke of Gloucester as Governor-General of Australia when the full Cabinet discussed the matter today.

Ward had insisted that it was the policy of the Australian Labor party, to which the Government belongs, to appoint an Australian-born Governor-General.

But it developed that the overwhelming majority of the Cabinet took the view that any such provision could not be taken to apply in cases in which a member of the Royal Family in line of succession to the throne was available for the appointment.

Prime Minister Curtin emphasized to his colleagues the value to Australia and to the Empire as a whole of the Duke's appointment and said that the Royal Family is above politics in any part of the British Commonwealth of Nations.

Charles Ray of Hollywood Dies

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 23 (AP).—Charles Ray, 52, who gained fame for his portrayal of country bumpkin roles of the silent screen, died today after a long illness.

CAN'T FIND HIS ROOM

BOSTON, Nov. 23 (AP). — Homer Hunt, of Providence, R.I., has lost his room and doesn't know where to find it. Hunt, a navy yard worker, reported to authorities that after engaging a room in the south end last Thursday he was unable to locate the house again.

FLU EPIDEMIC

WINNIPEG, Nov. 23 (CP).—A severe epidemic of influenza is sweeping Winnipeg, Dr. M. S. Lougheed, city medical health officer said today. Hospitals have admitted many patients during the past week and offices and shops in the city are suffering from decimated staffs. No deaths have been reported.

Conquest of Gilberts Over

PEARL HARBOR, T.H., Nov. 23 (AP). — The Gilbert Islands now are in the hands of United States land and sea forces, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Pacific Fleet, announced today.

The invasion of the Japanese-held Central Pacific island group, undertaken November 20, is "another road to Tokio," he said at a press conference.

"In due time we'll have enough equipment and material to travel all the roads. I am sure we will not neglect any approach when we have all the material available."

The interview followed his earlier announcement on the capture of Makin and progress toward the capture of the Tarawa and Abemama atolls.

"My belief is that Japan eventually will be defeated from China," Admiral Nimitz said.

"China, with its reservoirs of manpower, potential airfields and proximity to Japan is one of the steps along the road to Tokio."

He was asked if, "at the present rate, do you believe Japan can hold out until 1946?"

"I doubt it," he replied.

"Could you make the same reply if the date was advanced to 1946?"

"I hesitate to make predictions but I can assure you our forces in the Pacific will not rest on past performances but will work harder and harder and, as training becomes more effective, we may expect better results."

It was Nimitz' first press conference since Navy Secretary Frank Knox visited here in January.

"Will we attempt to rid the seas of the Jap fleet before attempting to deliver the knockout blow from China?" he was asked.

"We may expect some major action in the Pacific," he said.

"The Jap fleet may accept such an engagement. The possibility must be kept in mind and we must constantly be prepared for it. So long as Japan's main fleet units are intact it behooves us to maintain strength to insure such an engagement will come out favorably for our forces. We must not disperse our fleet to permit the Japs to concentrate on any unit which might be weaker than the main enemy fleet."

Berlin Hit Again

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stricken population of Berlin attempted to check the devastation of Monday's raid, continental radios suddenly closed down as Berlin again was being pounded by the Allies.

As was the case Monday night, communications between Stockholm and Berlin were cut.

The huge bomber force struck around 8 o'clock Monday and in a few minutes had deluged miles and miles of the city from the Governmental Wilhelmstrasse to the key industrial suburbs with a storm of high explosives. The bombers struck in two waves, the second group catching persons who were trapped outside the air raid shelters when the all-clear signal was mistakenly sounded.

The Germans were powerless to do anything but shoot up flak in a wild barrage which knocked down a maximum of 26 bombers, less than half of the R.A.F. loss in the first big attack on Berlin August 23. Four R.C.A.F. bombers failed to return.

CLOUDS PREVENT GOOD DEFENCE

Solid overcast clouds prevented the Germans from sending up many fighter planes and from using their searchlights to spot the bombers, but the clouds did not hamper the attackers. They dropped their bombs through the flare outline laid down by Pathfinder planes. Even through the thick clouds British crewmen reported they saw fires and explosions 70 miles away.

"It was like a terrific sunset," was the way one returning pilot described the target.

Hundreds of crewmen reported seeing one of the most violent explosions ever reported from a German target in which everything suddenly went white and the brilliance remained in the sky long after the bombers turned away.

One pilot said he saw more than 50 two-ton block-busters go down while he was over the target.

It probably will be days or weeks before reconnaissance and intelligence can determine which was hurt worst—the Government, industry or morale. Allied air leaders regard them as interlocking.

Aside from the immediate devastation and aside from the fact it was history's heaviest single blow, there were terrifying indications to the Germans for the future, all calculated to sap their morale to the point of fear that means surrender.

The success of the raid despite the weather pointed only to more and heavier raids. Anything not destroyed this time could be destroyed subsequently. Any destroyed industries transferred eastward hardly would be any better off as Allied raids as far Poland, Czecho-Slovakia and Austria already have proved.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST BERLIN IN FULL SWING

Monday night's raid coming within less than a week after a previous record Berlin raid, indicated plainly the campaign to knock Berlin out of the war was in full swing.

The weather, so much less favorable than that of July and August during which Hamburg, a city half the size of Berlin, was knocked out in less than a week, might prolong the effort against Berlin but there are compensating factors.

The Allied air forces are much larger than they were five months ago enabling them to launch larger and more frequent attacks. In addition German defences are more strained.

The R.A.F.'s pathfinder technique for bad weather bombing has been perfected and the United States Air Force, according to the Germans, is operating in weather which once was considered too difficult.

The bombers participating in the Berlin raid took off from fields all over England. They formed a great loose procession across the sky as they flew toward the target. Nearing Berlin, however, they tightened into a solid knockout punch force, ramming home their destruction probably in less than half an hour. By midnight the first of the returning bombers had dropped down on their home air fields.

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Defends U.S. Investing In Canol Oil Project

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23 (CP).—Under-Secretary of War Robert Patterson today told the Senate Truman committee that the $134,000,000 American investment in the "Canol" oil development in Northwest Canada was amply justified on military grounds, and that its success might be "the determining factor" in an air offensive aimed at the heart of Japan.

He said discussions had been initiated between the State Department and the Canadian External Affairs Department as a result of which "I have every confidence that an arrangement will be worked out for the future use of this oil on a basis completely fair and equitable to both countries."

In his evidence Patterson disclosed what has been unofficially known for a long time but never officially announced, that the short Alaskan route through Canada's Northwest airfield chain has been increasingly used to ferry combat planes to Russia.

It now was assured that Canol can produce 20,000 barrels a day and prospectors have unearthed a pool of possibly 100,000,000 barrels in that area, said Patterson.

The project was to provide petroleum and its products for the Alaska Highway truck and other mechanical transport operations, the chain of airports by which planes are ferried from the United States to Russia "in undiminishing numbers," and to fuel aircraft and ships used in military and naval operations in the Alaskan area, he said.

Yesterday the committee heard the oil well and pipe line development involved in the Canol project condemned by Interior Secretary Harold Ickes, and others. Ickes, who also is Petroleum Administrator for War, charged that he had not been consulted on the project and expressed the opinion that, now the Japanese threat is lessened, the whole project should be abandoned or a new deal made with Canada.

STATES SUCCESS EXCEEDS HOPES

Patterson, granite-faced and pugnacious, told the committee that the Canol project was "a bold undertaking" and that its success so far had "surpassed our hopes."

It was undertaken in the Spring of 1942 on the authority of a directive issued by Gen Brehon Somervell, head of the United States Army Service Corps, after a brief consideration and one conference with experts including officials of the Imperial Oil Company of Canada, a subsidiary of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey.

In his prepared statement and replies to questions, Patterson said:

1. The project was initiated at a time when there was imminent danger of Japanese attack on Alaska and possible control of coastal waters in that area, to ensure an overland supply of petroleum near the base of operations.

2. There was no time for long investigation of resources and costs. The project with a military operation pure and simple.

3. "As an economic proposition the whole thing was cockeyed from the beginning; even now with potential production has lifted the original estimate (of 3,000 barrels a day) it is uneconomic."

4. That the development had disclosed tremendous deposits of oil at Norman Wells that would not have been discovered otherwise.

Patterson said he was not "disturbed" over the fact that the development was likely to revert to Canadian ownership after the war.

"Canada is our friendly neighbor, united with us in this war," he said. "The defence of Alaska, Canada and the United States is one problem—not several."

He said the total cost of the project was about equal to the cost of war for one day. If it shortened the war by one day it would have been financially worth-while.

Earlier Col. James H. Graham, dean of the College of Engineering, University of Kentucky, and special assistant to General Somervell when the Canol project was initiated, said he had advised the general to proceed with the Canol venture and would do so again under the same circumstances, purely as an essential part of the preparations for defence and offence.

ESSAY ON RUSSIA

WORCESTER PARK, Surrey, England (CP)—Sub-Lieut Kenneth A Mason, 21-year-old member of the Royal Navy, won first prize in a national essay competition organized by the Anglo-Soviet Youth Friendship Alliance. Mason, who lives here, described his thoughts on Russia as he arrived at Murmansk in a convoy.

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Telegraph Operator at Fifteen

HERE'S where a 15-year-old messenger boy at Penticton, B.C., got a chance at big stuff. During an emergency of several weeks at the Vernon, B.C., telegraph office of the C.P.R., Russell Light, the boy, acted as a telegraph operator and so became one of the youngest telegraph operators in Canada. He is pictured above adjusting his "bug." Russell is now back at his messenger job, but is being given a chance to learn wire-testing and repeater work.

Spend First Night in Mud

By LOUIS V. HUNTER
Canadian Press War Correspondent

AT A MEDITERRANEAN PORT, Nov. 12 (Delayed) (CP)—This hasn't been the sunny country Canadian troops just out from England expected to find. Instead, they found rain and mud.

Hundreds of the first arrivals were a little ahead of their canvas and spent the first night trying to make themselves comfortable in a torrential downpour. It rained so heavily the first night that part of the wall of a quarry beside which the troops were bivouacked collapsed with a roar that made the soldiers think they were in the thick of an artillery barrage.

By the second night enough tents were available to provide shelter for the majority of the drenched troops. Transport borrowed from Americans was used to carry others into a neighboring town where they bedded down in houses, abandoned office buildings and sheds.

The troops came ashore from big American transports in infantry landing craft which ran a day-long shuttle service between the vessels anchored off shore and the bomb-blasted docks of a famous old harbor. Most troops went to camp in trains made up of freight cars.

Moving to the trains, Sgt Alex Sutherland, of Winnipeg, expressed the general feeling of the new arrivals.

"We're glad to get moving at last," he said. "It's the start of the trip home."

The soldiers were anxious to know what life is like here and were disappointed to learn there was no Canadian beer, but were cheered by the prospect of being able to buy good wine at a nickel a quart.

Standing on deck awaiting to disembark, a group of troops included Sgt Richard Saunders, of Victoria, B.C.; L-Cpl. Russell Dodds, Tisdale, Sask.; Ptes. Arnold Malm, Hanna, Alta., and Alex Screpnak, Yorkton, Sask.

In one group were R.S.M. Harry Stimson, Rossland, B.C., and Sgt.-Maj. Harold Purdy, Trail, B.C.

Stresses Vital Part Played By Canadian Farmer in War

OTTAWA, Nov. 23 (CP).—Without the help of Canadian farmers the war would have been lost two years or more ago, Rt. Hon. Malcolm MacDonald, British High Commissioner to Canada, said today in opening the Eastern Ontario export food show at the Central Experimental Farm here.

Referring to the "vital part" played by Canadian farmers in the war, Mr. MacDonald said:

"In 1940 and the first half of 1941 the citizens of Britain had to bear the full fury of the attack of a stupendously victorious foe.

"To survive their ordeal they had to be in possession of a few essential things. First they had to have a fearless spirit; that they were given by Divine Providence. Then they had to have a strong right arm with which to deal some counter blows at the enemy—that was provided by the immortal group of boys who manned the R.A.F. in those days.

"But also the people of Britain needed sufficient food to keep body and soul together until the forces of freedom all round the world should come to their rescue to help them to beat back the Nazi conquerors. That essential food was provided in large measure by the farmers of Canada, and you have gone on providing it through all the difficult times that have passed since."

Mr. MacDonald said that despite the "wonderful war effort" of British agriculture, the continuance of life in Britain is still dependent on constant supplies of wheat, fish, bacon, dairy produce and fruit from this side of the Atlantic.

Since the war started Canada has shipped to Britain about 2,100,000,000 pounds of bacon, hams and other pork products; more than 460,000,000 pounds of cheese; more than 110,000,000 tins of evaporated milk and about 100,000,000 dozens of eggs.

Canada now supplies 10 per cent of Britain's total egg supply, 25 per cent of her cheese supply, 35 per cent of her canned fish suply, 52 per cent of her wheat, and 62 per cent of her bacon.

Though the foodstuffs shipped overseas by Canada amount to enormous quantities in bulk, they have "not been too much when spread over the breakfast tables of Britain."

The British people eat frugally. Their rations are sparsely composed. If they eat any less than they now are eating, "they definitely could not maintain the standard of health which so far has enabled them to get through the last four years with fit bodies, sane minds and resolute spirit."

Death Claims Labor Leader

Patrick M. Draper Dies at Age of 75

OTTAWA, Nov. 23 (CP)—Patrick M. Draper, 75, secretary-treasurer or president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada for 40 years and organizer in 1897 of the Allied Trades and Labor Association—central body of international labor in Ottawa—died here today.

Mr. Draper was made honorary life president of the T.L.C. when he retired from the presidency in 1939. He was employed by the Government Printing Bureau for 45 years, retiring as its director and superintendent in 1933.

Born in Aylmer, Que., he learned the printing trade with the old Aylmer Times, later working as a compositor and printer when the Government Printing Bureau was organized in 1888.

Mr. Draper advised the late Sir Robert Borden on labor questions when Sir Robert, Prime Minister of Canada during the first Great War, was called in 1918 to counsel with Empire leaders in the drafting of the Versailles Treaty.

DELEGATE TO MANCHESTER MEETING

In 1902 and 1907 Mr. Draper was fraternal delegate from the T.L.C. to the American Federation of Labor, and in 1911 was first delegate from the congress to the Manchester convention of the British Trades Union Congress.

He represented the working people of Canada at the International Labor Convention in Washington in 1919, and in 1925, 1927 and 1929 was representative of Canadian labor at the International Labor Conferences, Geneva.

Mr. Draper was elected secretary-treasurer of the T.L.C. at the Ottawa convention in 1900 and held office until 1935, when he became president, succeeding Tom Moore, who had accepted a Government position.

He was actively associated with the Ottawa Typographical Union for 50 years. He was made a life member of the Allied Trades and Labor Association in recognition of his years of work with that body.

BELIEVE SIX DEAD

CHICAGO, Nov. 23 (Tuesday) (AP).—Six children, ranging in age from 18 months to 15 years, were believed burned to death and their parents were seriously burned, when fire destroyed their home in suburban Chicago heights early today.

EXHIBITION CLOSING

The exhibition of C. W. Holliday's paintings which has been attracting numbers of visitors to Spencer's Art Gallery, will close Thursday evening. Mr. Holliday is giving the exhibition in aid of the Red Cross, the admission and also commissions.

NOVEMBER 20 FATEFUL DAY

HARLAN, Ia., Nov. 23 (AP)—Mrs. Chris Larson was born in Denmark November 20, 1865, arrived in New York November 20, 1881, was married November 20, 1884, and died last Saturday—November 20.

Sidney O. Copas Passes Away Here

One of Victoria's best-known pioneer businessmen passed away yesterday at St. Joseph's Hospital with the death of Sidney Owen Copas, 74, of 1224 Oxford Street.

The late Mr. Copas came to Canada in 1889 and settled for a few years in Calgary, where in 1890 he opened a grocery business. He came to Victoria in 1907 and established partnership with George Young, under the name of Copas & Young. The business grew rapidly and quickly became one of the best-known grocery establishments in Victoria, being situated at the corner of Broad and Fort Streets.

Disposing of the business in 1928, the late Mr. Copas was manager of the grocery department of one of the city's large stores until his retirement in 1941.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Adelaide Grace Copas, at the family residence; one daughter, Mrs. William J. Delahunty, Victoria; three sons, Edwin O., Vancouver, Roy and Hennan, Victoria, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, at 3 o'clock, from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Interment will be in the family plot at Royal Oak.

Pacific Front

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Bougainville, was strafed by a dawn patrol. Fighters and dive bombers also struck at installations at Monolu and Manakaraka on the island.

Fifty-two tons of bombs were laid on the enemy airdrome at Cape Gloucester on the western tip of New Britain Island, hitting bivouac and supply dump areas and destroying or damaging five aircraft on the ground.

While the communique made no mention of the fighting around Sattelberg—on the Huon Peninsula in Northeastern New Guinea, where the Australians have been moving forward against Japanese on high ground, it was noted that medium bombers and attack planes struck at enemy communication lines in that area.

The attacks were made with 21 tons of explosives dropped on supply dumps and bivouac points between Wareo and Junsaig and at Walingai.

The War Today—

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

The first ground-hardening frosts of Winter have reached West Central Russia, foreshadowing faster-paced action in the battle of the Kiev bulge. With the first heavy freeze ice-paving muddy fields, a Russian return to blitzkrieg tactics can be expected.

That should permit Red field commanders to capitalize on highly favorable circumstances born of brilliant Russian staff work. That strategic planning has definitely foreclosed the front against a German two-pronged pincer squeeze. There was no dangerously exposed Russian salient left once the Red forces were pulled back from Zhitomir under Nazi pressure. That forced the Germans into exhausting any costly frontal attacks which have been beating against the Chernyakov-Korostyshev segment for days with little to show for it, and with nothing to indicate that Russian armored divisions have been heavily engaged.

If that is true, massed Red attack power is waiting behind the front to strike anew and launch the final lunge southwestward to cut the last direct rail connections with Germany for the whole right flank of the Nazi line in Russia.

If that drive along the Kiev-Zhmerinka railway develops as seems highly probable, it would climax Russian major offensive operations of the war to date. The aim is to snap a vast Russian trap shut to the Rumanian or old Russian-Polish borders on a third or more of the whole Nazi army in Russia.

Even before disclosure of results of the expected Roosevelt-Churchill-Stalin meeting to cement Russian-Allied military operations into a single overall offensive design, it is obvious that Allied operations in Italy and by air from Britain are being grooved to that pattern. The greatest mass air attack ever delivered has fallen upon Berlin. In Italy it is obvious that the rain-bogged Allied advance on Rome is about to surge forward again.

A German retreat from the upper Sangro line in the centre is foreshadowed by enemy preparations to abandon the Alfedena-Castel di Sangro communications pivot positions, exposing the Sangro line to outflanking moves at both ends. With Eighth Army capture of those road junctions, a new forward push by the Fifth Army toward Cassino from Mignano should be possible. That way, up the valley of the Liri and the Sacco, lies the short road to Rome.

Canada's Honor Roll

R.C.A.F.

OTTAWA, Nov. 23 (CP)—The R.C.A.F. tonight in its 735th casualty list of the war containing 44 names reported the following casualties:

OVERSEAS

Killed on active service: W.O.1 Norman William Gardner, Toronto; P.O. Harold Oskar Siefert, Winnipeg.

Died of injuries sustained on active service: Sgt. Walter William McArthur, Vancouver.

Missing on active service after air operations: Flt. Lt. Richard Trent Botkin, Cincinnati, O.; P.O. Cecil Ambrose Farnum, Verdun, Que.; Flt. Sgt. John Alfred Nelson Hucker, Toronto; Flt. Sgt. Lauchlan Blair MacKay, New Glasgow, N.S.; Sqdn. Ldr. Murray Stanley Fuller Schneider, Brandon, Man.

Previously reported missing on active service, now for official purposes presumed dead: P.O. Douglas Stewart Brown, Leaside, Ont.; Sgt. Myrl Ellwood Bunn, Windermere, Ont.; Sgt. Alexander Cook, Regina; Sgt. Alfred Ross Currie, Woodstock, N.B.; P.O. George William Rupert Dalton, Edmonton; Sgt. Frederick Gray Ensor Stephen, N.B.; P.O. William Arthur Follows, Toronto; P.O. Arthur Gordon Grant, Winnipeg; Sgt. Harold Arthur Healey, Ottawa; Sgt. James Young Houston, Auburn, Ont.; Sgt. Ralph Henry King, Windsor, Ont.; Sgt. James Murray Reginald Lang, R118753, Mrs. J. M. R. Lang (wife), 516 Michigan Street, Victoria; Sgt. Gabriel Emile Joseph LeBihan, Leslieville, Alta.; Sgt. Andrew Basil McDonald, Cornwall, Ont.; P.O. Benedict Guy Milner, Vankleek Hill, Ont.; W.O. Robert Benjamin Moulton, Brockville, Ont.; P.O. John William Richardson, North Bay, Ont.; P.O. Albert James Sutton, Toronto; P.O. Bernard Laird Tedford, Toronto; Sgt. Gordon Conrad Wickson, Vancouver; P.O. George Stephen Wilson, Nordegg, Alta.

CANADA

Killed on active service: L.A.C. Roy George Schnarr, Waterloo, Ont.; Sgt. Lawrence William Swindells, Yorkshire, Eng.

Natural death: A.C. John Williams, Rutland, B.C.

NEWFOUNDLAND

Missing after flying operations: W.O.2 Mandel Max Epstein, Montreal; Wing Cmdr. Ralph Roydon Ings, Halifax; W.O.2 Robert Flemming Loather, MacCan, N.S.; Sgt. Eric John Mills, Timmins, Ont.; Flt. Lt. Joseph Coates Redmond, Edmonton; Section Officer Irene Watson, New Toronto, Ont.

UNITED STATES

Missing after flying operations: Flt. Sgt. Vernon Claude Arnold, Regina; Flt. Sgt. Henry Chambers, Winnipeg; P.O. Alfred James Chandler, Ribstone, Alta.; W.O.2 George Charles Marshall, Walburg, Sask.

CANADIANS IN THE R.A.F. OVERSEAS

Previously reported missing on active service, now reported prisoner of war (Germany): Sqdn. Ldr. Arnold Peers Philipsen, Banff, Alta.

Previously reported missing on active service now for official purposes presumed dead: Sqdn. Ldr. Frank Cameron Willis, Saskatoon.

TABLES TURNED

BLACKFOOT, Idaho, Nov. 23 (AP).—When Southern Idaho farmers were unable to gather their crops, businessmen took to the fields and became the tired help. Now the businessmen SOS: Will the farmers come in and help put neglected offices and stores in order?

LONDON (CP)—Mrs. E. L. Reeves, for 16 years a Labor councillor, has been elected mayor of Woolwich. She has two sons and a daughter in uniform.

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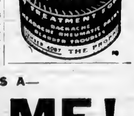

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Up to Governors

The staff of Victoria College has done a courageous thing in standing by its formal objection made to the City School Board concerning a major reorganization at the institution in mid-term and in the middle of the war. It has brought to light certain suggested differences as to the management of the College which some in touch with educational affairs have believed to exist for some time past, however they have been denied. It has given the Board of Governors sound reason to examine the recommendations which will be laid before the University on November 29, not perfunctorily but with all reasonable care and regard.

That is, perhaps, as far as this community can go. The objection to any weakening of the affiliation between Victoria College and the University of British Columbia has been stressed, as it was time that it should be stressed. Neither now nor at any later time will Victoria tolerate any break in the arrangement which gives young men and young women of this community the opportunity of two years' university training, with full credit standing. We believe the staff of the College to be correct when they state that training must remain under university control, and cannot become subject to the will or the whim of any other agency.

We believe that the City School Board has been insufficiently advised as to what would be the effect of the changes the trustees have proposed: that not sufficient weight has been given to the qualifications and service of those at Victoria College and that such a major reorganization now would unsettle two of our senior institutions of learning without an equivalent gain by reason of the change. We say so without regard to personalities, and indeed with the highest respect for those whose names have been mentioned. Only very unusual circumstances could ever justify ignoring talent that stands fairly in line for promotion from within.

Five, for Berlin

With all the effect of a long siege in the field, the Royal Air Force carried out its fifth saturation raid on Berlin on Monday night, dropping 2,400 tons of high explosive and incendiary bombs in the heaviest attack yet made against a single target anywhere. More than 1,000 heavy bombers participated, crossing their targets in two great waves of 500 machines each. Fire and destruction were visited for the fifth time this year on the capital of the Reich, as Mr. Churchill had promised they would be. Canadian machines are understood to have participated in the giant raid.

The British Broadcasting Corporation yesterday reported the attack as the heaviest of the war. It said that the night's bombload, considerably in excess of 2,000 tons, had brought to 7,500 tons the weight of explosives and incendiaries laid on Berlin targets since these attacks started, or more than the Luftwaffe had succeeded in dropping on London in a twelve-month period at the height of its former power. Wholesale destruction followed the fifth raid, which left crowning fires seen for hundreds of miles on the route back.

The German reaction was the customary one. The German propagandists spoke of a "terror raid," said the bombs had fallen on a "working class district," and referred to the destruction of irreplacable art treasures and buildings. The world may discount that. The German squeals loudest when he is being really hurt, when in fact he is receiving back the very medicine he designed for others. The Royal Air Force has never yet wasted its fire on German art treasures, and never will. Berlin is far along the road to joining Hamburg as a city that once was.

Canadians in Italy

The news that large infantry and armored reinforcements have arrived to support the First Canadian Division in Italy will be received with interest and quiet satisfaction by the people of this Dominion, who all along have shown an eager desire to pull their full weight in the fight against the Axis. The course of the war and the peculiar nature of the defensive duties that fell to the Canadian Army in England have hitherto prevented the deployment of our soldiers in battle in anything like full force, but this seems in the process of being remedied.

While details of the reinforcements are lacking, it is intimated that Canada's army strength in Italy has now been raised to the status of an Army Corps, with at least one new division joining the battle-tested First Division. Larger Canadian participation in the Italian campaign was foreshadowed a few weeks ago when Major-General Guy Simonds handed over the First Division to Major-General Chris Vokes, and returned to England to assume command of an armored division. It was hinted at that time that General Simonds was slated to return to Italy at the head of his new command.

The arrival of fresh, well-trained and well-equipped troops in Italy supports the belief that the real drive on Rome is about to get under way. The new Canadian units can be expected to play the same gallant part in operations that the men of the First Division have evidenced ever since the invasion of Sicily. Once again Canadians are in the line.

Kenneth F. Ferguson

The passing of Mr. Kenneth F. Ferguson, district manager of the Imperial Life Assurance Company and a resident of Victoria for 32 years, removes one who was widely known and respected in the community. Mr. Ferguson died at his home on Monday evening, following a lengthy illness, at the age of 58. For more than three decades he had been intimately connected with business and public life in the community, where he was universally esteemed.

Born at St. Thomas, Ontario, Mr. Ferguson moved here with his family in 1911. He served for a number of years on the City School Board as school trustee, maintained a lifelong connection with the Canadian Club, of which he was past president; and had almost as long a connection with the Victoria Kiwanis Club, of which he had been president, and later district governor of the Pacific Northwest Kiwanis organization. He was a prominent member of Britannia Lodge, No. 73, A.F. and A.M.; and until recent months was an active member of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

Although in poor health for some time past, Mr. Ferguson retained his interest in community affairs and his lifelong association with young people and athletics. His three sons are with the services: one, Jack, was reported missing in air operations over Germany last year; and two others, Robert and Hugh, are serving now with the Royal Canadian Air Force. To the widow and family will go out the understanding sympathy of the city and Province, in which expression The Daily Colonist sincerely desires to join.

Mrs. Jason Post

It is not given to many people to attain the great age of 102 years, and for that reason if for no other Mrs. Jason Harna Post, who died on Monday at a Victoria nursing institution, would have been known as she was throughout Canada. There were, however, many other reasons why Mrs. Post had endeared herself to all with whom she came in contact, and richly human reasons they were.

Possessed of an alert mind and an unusually keen memory, Mrs. Post in spite of her advanced age was in possession of nearly all her faculties. Up to a very few years ago she walked several miles each day, and was to be found doing many a friendly and kindly action for one or other of a host of friends. She loved company and was an excellent conversationist. Of recent times when her sight was impaired, she was confined more to home but delighted to discuss there the latest news events in the world, which she had heard over the radio.

Born on July 1, 1841, at Richmond, Ontario, Mrs. Post celebrated her 102nd birthday on Dominion Day this year. For 53 of Victoria's 100 years she had been resident here, where her husband predeceased her 21 years ago. She was living in New York at the time of the American Civil War, and recalled the assassination of President Lincoln as clearly as any current event of this day. She is survived by one son, Mr. Charles A. Post, several grandchildren and some great-grandchildren, to whom will go out sincere condolences of the community. Victoria has lost another sterling pioneer.

Seen in Passing

The Legislative Press Gallery of British Columbia set an example to the country the other day when it refused to have a new floor in the Press Room at the Legislative Buildings. As a matter of fact the inlaid oak floor has outlasted two generations of newspapermen now, and bids fair to see two others on their way before it stands in serious need of attention. It was well and truly laid at the turn of the last century.

At Rest

Ypres, the lute is silent and the harp with broken string
Is dumb before the glory it cannot voice or sing.
When the Maple Leaf in beauty swept athwart the flaming field,
And the flower of our manhood died, oh God, but did not yield.
They stemmed the hideous floor that raged about them like the tide.
They stopped the gap at Ypres. 'Twas there they fought and died.
They fought for King and country, they thought of love and home
Far across the trackless waste of boundless ocean's foam
And hearts thrilled with the glory, but eyes are dimmed with tears,
From looking down the dreary path of endless, weary years.
They are safe within the haven, they are safe from ill or harm,
They rest them from the tumult, they heed not war's alarm;
They are safe in God's good keeping, so may your tears be few,
For one great day He'll bring them back and give them back to you.

—H. E. STUDDERT KENNEDY.

Victoria, B.C.

Music is the medicine of the mind.—John Logan.

Life is a long lesson in humility.—Barrie.

The Third Column

By TOM TAYLOR

THE "FOOTSLOGGER"

Ever since our caveman ancestor rushed out of his earthy burrow to defend his hearth and home on two broad feet, it has been the "footslogger" who has borne most of the burden of war and paid the heaviest [illegible] cess on the sandals of his legionnaires, and the French phalanxes raised Napoleon to the pinnacle of his fame.

It has always been that way. The cavalry made the Crimean War headlines but the infantry filled the hospitals. The haughty horsemen swept the South African veldt but the footsloggers painfully took the kopjes. And while the Western Front gunners of 1914-18 did a noble job it was the P.B.I. who suffered the rigors of the trenches.

Perhaps because there are so many of him the infantryman has been rather taken for granted. Until recently in the present war he had to take a back seat while the glamorous figures of modern warfare held the stage. What with panzer units, tank troopers, commandos and parachutists, there seemed no place for the prosaic man with the simple bayonet.

STILL PAYS DIVIDENDS

He was, in fact, almost considered obsolete, a relic of less enlightened days, fit only to occupy the ground won by the spectacular troops of the service. That is, until General Montgomery wrote finis to the mechanical blitz at El Alamein and demonstrated that the old reliable method of chasing your enemy on foot with a bayonet still paid dividends.

Something like this must have been in General Eisenhower's mind when he called news correspondents together recently to draw attention to the hard work done by the footsloggers in North Africa and Italy. They were the men, he reminded the correspondents, who had to endure the most; the days and nights in heat or cold, the sand and the mud, and the endless toll of fatigue duty that lay between battles.

Endurance is what counts most in an infantryman. The toughest part of campaigning is not always the fighting, but often the sheer discomfort of primitive living and the drudgery of continual marching and manual labor.

BEAST OF BURDEN

This sweat and toil reached its limit in the last war, when the infantryman was a beast of burden if ever there was one. He had to go everywhere on foot, weighted down like a Christmas tree every step of the long, wearisome miles that lay between him and the trenches. Once there his days and nights were eternally filled with digging or manhandling supplies and equipment of all kinds. Looking back, it seems a miracle he ever found time, let alone strength, to do any fighting.

It was in these years, too, that the P.B.I. carried the heaviest load ever packed by a soldier. In 1914 he carried between 50 and 60 pounds, about the same as the weight borne by each member of the light infantry of the Peninsular War. By the time of the Crimean War the weight had risen to 84 pounds, but it dropped again to 55 pounds in South Africa.

It literally soared during 1914-18. Encumbrances were piled on the poor footslogger until he was trudging along under a load of about 80 pounds, and before the Armistice came along he had, somehow or another, managed to bear up under another 20 pounds.

HAS NO PICNIC

Modern war has taken pity on the infantryman. His load has been reduced to about 57 pounds, which is the weight the Canadian soldier takes into battle, including web equipment and haversack which weigh approximately 38 pounds. His rifle accounts for 10 pounds and he carries ammunition weighing close to 11 pounds. In full marching order, which means the addition of a pack, his load is approximately 67 pounds.

But the footslogger of today has no picnic. Motor vehicles save him the grind of marching from one battlefield to another and add to his mobility, but he is expected to be fresher, faster and more active in assault. If he carries less than his predecessors, it is still an uncomfortable burden and he still does his full share of field chores, lugging food, ammunition and supplies more varied and extensive than ever before, everywhere he moves during the scene of action.

Those who may be tempted to deplore what is sometimes called the "slow" progress of our troops in Italy should put themselves in the place of the infantryman toiling up and down mountains or wading through fast-running streams, as he steadily moves closer to the enemy with what the latter likes least, a bayonet in the hands of a man on two good strong feet.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

THE ITALIAN SCHOOL

Sir,—One is not surprised at your correspondent's reaction to this prevalent trembling and wobbling habit in the rendition of vocal music (both amateur and professional), and to many is a disturbing element in an otherwise good voice.

We are told that the affliction and [illegible] "Italian School," yet this crime at least cannot be laid at Mussolini's door seeing that it was well on its demoralizing career before the latter fell a victim to over-wobbling with ensuing collapse.

J. WENMAN.

Gordon Head, B.C., November 22, 1943.

TELEPHONE CHARGE

Sir,—Now we have succeeded in getting a little satisfaction from the excessive light rates we have been paying to the B.C. Electric Company, would it not be in order for those in power to turn their attention to that 20 cents a month tacked on our telephone bills some years ago and never removed. It is time it was taken off as the public were given to understand it was just a temporary addition. Now is the time for action.

H. B. BROWING.

Washington Avenue, Victoria, B.C., November 22, 1943.

NEW MILK PRICES

Sir,—We have been advised by John Gibb, board officer, that the board at Ottawa has approved of new maximum milk prices for Saanich and Southern Vancouver Island to the south of the Malahat. The new prices are similar to those prevailing in the Victoria market area.

C. H. WILLIAMS.

Secretary, Vancouver Island Dairymen's Association, 863 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C., November 22, 1943.

Observation Car

By G.B.

It is now possible to telephone from Edmonton to Fairbanks, Alaska, over 2,026 miles of wire. The system was built by the United States Signal Corps and civilian contractors . . . Capt. George Black, member of Parliament for the Yukon, stated at Vancouver last Friday: "There will not be much expansion in the Yukon as a result of the Alaska Highway. It does not traverse areas in the Yukon in which to date mining has been successful, but it will make areas adjacent to the highway available to prospectors" . . . From Western Business and Industry, Vancouver: "With the efficient air mail services now available, British Columbians may be inclined to forget that the first air mail carried by a private operator was flown across Puget Sound on March 3, 1919. In that year Edward Hubbard, of Seattle, convinced the postoffice department there was need of an air mail service between Seattle and Victoria. Hubbard's plan was to fly to Victoria with mail that had missed steamships outward bound from Seattle. The plane would also intercept ships from the Orient before they left Victoria for Seattle. The passenger on the initial trip was the plane's builder, William E. Boeing, who was destined to become one of the great names in aviation. Hubbard passed on in 1929. Probably a suitable marker will be erected in Victoria so that this unique service will not be crowded out of future memories."

. . . Of the 700 dining cars in use on English railways before the war only 70 are now in operation . . . Edmonton plans to erect a $1,000,000 sports centre as a postwar project for hockey, badminton, curling, skating, basketball, bowling and swimming . . . Lethbridge and Red Deer also propose to erect sports centres . . . A Frenchman named Appert in 1809 received a government prize of $2,500 for a process of canning meat in glass jars. A British firm paid him $5,000 in 1812 for the patent and soon commenced to pack food in containers made of tinplate . . . "Women in shipyards sure talk a lot while they work," a riveter remarked to Bill the Broad Street barber. "Do you mean to say you have never heard of the old expression 'Women's work is never dumb?'" the barber asked.

NAMED CHAIRMAN

OTTAWA, Nov. 23 (CP).—J. Gerald Godsoe, of Toronto, formerly of Halifax, has been appointed chairman of the Wartime Industries Control Board and co-ordinator of controls of the Munitions Department, it was announced tonight by Munitions Minister Howe. For the past year associate co-ordinator of controls, he succeeds Henry Borden, K.C., of Toronto, whose resignation was announced several days ago.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of November 24, 1918)

Polish Patriot J. Paderewski, noted pianist, left the United States and sailed for Europe in the interests of his compatriots. "Poland will be free and so will her inhabitants," he stated before departure.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of November 24, 1893)

The City—Yesterday was a novelty to Victorians, for it brought sleighing on Thanksgiving Day, something not before recorded in the history of the city.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of November 24, 1868)

Government Buildings—Some sensible improvements are being made in the wings of the different offices at the Government Buildings. The old flat roofs covered with tin, which were always leaking, have been raised and shingled. The alterations greatly improve the appearance of the buildings.

"WINDOW SHOPPING"

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FAIREST METHOD

(Calgary Herald)

No one has yet advanced an argument to disprove the thesis that conscription is, in the long run, the fairest method of determining military service. Under the present system the losses fall most heavily on those quickest to respond to their country's need. "Share and share alike" is the democratic way. How long will it take to persuade the Federal Government of that fact?

A HEALTHY THING

(Gazette, Montreal)

On the whole, it is probably a healthy thing that Marshal Pietro Badoglio has tossed out his unrepresentative Cabinet and is ruling on a provisional basis with a civil service administration. It emphasizes the temporary character of his regime. It underlines the fact that no representative Italian Government can be formed while more than half the country remains captive.

AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

(Edmonton Journal)

It has been stated in the United States as well as in Canada that the demand for labor by war industries as a whole is as strong as ever and that there is no prospect of any diminishment soon. But it was inevitable that, with changes in the war situation, transfers would be called for of workers from one industry to another. The re-employment should be effected as speedily as possible.

VALUE OF CHARACTER

(Montreal Star)

All the great teachers of the world have emphasized the value of character. The virtues accepted as basic by all religions find their expression in character, and character itself results, not alone from appreciation of the value of these virtues, but from early training. Character unformed in childhood and adolescence is likely to remain unformed.

INFLATION MEANS RUIN

(Vancouver Province)

The formula of inflation is as simple as a-b-c, and everybody knows it who can add two and two. You let prices rise and then you raise wages to overtake prices and then prices go still higher. And so on and on, unless you do something about it, until you get an uncontrolled inflation—and then, the chaos of your whole economy with ruin for many and suffering for most in a wholesale bankruptcy.

REMEDY IN OWN HANDS

(Fort William Times—Journal)

The time has come when the people of Canada should realize their duty to the country and to society. So many people are discontented and critical and yet they have the remedy in their own hands. If there were practically full voting at all elections, the elected bodies, municipal and state, would feel that they had clear and convincing mandates and there would be a new enthusiasm and conviction in government.

SHIPS FOR PEACE

(Ottawa Journal)

Since the beginning of the war Canada has turned out more than 2,000,000 tons of merchant shipping. This by any standard of measurement, is a creditable achievement, one that is bound to make itself felt even after the war. Many of these Canadian-built ships were for the United States and some for Great Britain, but a great many others have merely been chartered to Britain, and will be available to Canada with peace.

One of the most popular gifts for Canadian servicemen overseas, according to a recent poll, is a money order, payable in pounds sterling.

Coupons Valid Today

Tea or Coffee—Nos. 1 to 21.
Sugar—Nos. 1 to 20.
Preserves—Nos. D1 to D7.
Butter—Nos. 34 to 37 (expiry date November 30).
Meat—Nos. 22 to 25 (expiry date November 30) and No. 26 (expiry date December 31).

More Business In Dominion

OTTAWA, Nov. 23 (CP).—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today that preliminary figures indicate its business index showed "slightly greater" business activity in Canada during October. No specific figure was given but the figure in September was 236.7.

Operations of the milling industry were nearly maintained. The index of tobacco released rose from 161.5 to 178.3, as cigarettes made available numbered 969,000,000, against 824,000,000 in September.

Slight decline was shown in the meat-packing industry. Operations of the dairy industry were nearly as great as in the preceding month. Increase was shown in production of cheese after seasonal adjustment.

Production of newsprint was 258,338 tons against 251,827. Increases were shown in the iron and steel industry and in the non-ferrous metals group. The index of employment in the chemical industry receded from 676.2 to 670.3.

New business obtained by the construction industry showed a gain "even before seasonal adjustment." The total was $19,300,000 against $18,600,000. Index of sales of livestock on stockyards receded about 10 points to 78.5. Cold storage holdings recorded a gain, the index moving up from 132.7 to 138.3.

HYNDLEY TO RESIGN

LONDON, Nov. 22 (CP).—Lord Hyndley, controller-general of the Ministry of Fuel and Power since 1942, has submitted his resignation, but has been asked to retain office until December 31. Maj. Gwilym Lloyd George, Minister of Fuel and Power, announced tonight. Reason for the resignation is personal and in no way due to any difference of opinion on the Government's coal policy, the ministry said.

Tides at Victoria

NOVEMBER

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of November, 1943.

Date	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft
1	5 20	7 7	10 55	7 8	14 43	8 7	23 40	1 8
2	0 25	8 0	11 22	7 8	15 06	8 6	...	...
3	0 29	1 8	10 18	6 3	15 32	0 0	14 30	0 0
4	1 58	1 0	10 60	6 4	13 40	7 3	16 00	2 1
5	2 15	0 2	11 29	6 4				
6	3 12	2 0	11 50	6 4	17 40	6 8	21 13	8 0
7	4 18	0 0	11 45	6 4	10 10	0 0	23 00	0 7
8	5 10	4 2	10 06	8 5	10 37	5 7	...	...
9	0 30	0 8	8 10	5 6	15 33	0 0	18 36	0 7
10	1 40	7 1	7 07	0 0	15 01	2 0	20 06	2 0
11	2 00	7 4	7 30	8 2	15 30	0 8	20 44	2 1
12	0 20	7 5	8 40	8 7	11 50	8 0	21 55	1 0
13	0 32	8 0	8 27	3 3	14 13	0 0	23 04	1 5
14	7 38	8 1	18 06	7 7	14 05	8 7	22 45	1 5
15	0 29	0 4	18 55	0 0	14 03	0 0	23 28	1 7
16	0 10	0 5	11 04	0 2	14 06	0 4	...	...
17	0 18	2 1	10 00	2 0			...	...
18	0 50	2 0	10 32	2 0			...	...
19	1 24	2 1	10 58	0 0	...		...	...
20	5 14	0 0	11 11	0 5				
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill at the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

AIRDROME DAMAGED

LONDON, Nov. 23 (CP).—Reconnaissance photographs show that the Kjeller airdrome, principal repair and maintenance centre for the German air force in Norway, was damaged heavily by American bombers in their November 18 attack, the Eighth United States Air Force bomber headquarters announced tonight. Direct hits destroyed or seriously damaged numerous buildings and left more than 19 holes in the wooden runway and more than 80 craters on the landing field.

DENOUNCE STRIKE

DURHAM, England, Nov. 23 (CP).—In a circular denouncing unofficial strikes, the Durham Miners' Association said: "These stoppages can only be designated consciously or otherwise, as sabotaging the war effort and assisting the enemy." To permit a minority to override the majority is "anarchy and alien to democracy," the circular added.

PRISONERS STILL FREE

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Nov. 23 (CP).—Two escaped prisoners—Edward Bennett, 19, and Malcolm Donaldson, 16—remained at large today after making a getaway from the county jail here yesterday. A stepladder left near a low gate proved too great a temptation while they were cleaning the jail yard. They were serving short terms.

Sunrise and Sunset

NOVEMBER

Times of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of November, 1943.
(Add one hour for Pacific Daylight time)

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	6 58	4 54	16	7 28	4 34
2	7 00	4 53	17	7 53	4 53
3	7 01	4 55	18	7 25	4 28
4	7 03	4 50	19	7 27	5 30
5	7 04	5 48	20	7 28	4 28
6	7 06	4 47	21	7 29	4 30
7	7 08	4 40	22	7 31	4 37
8	7 09	4 44	23	7 32	5 30
9	7 11	4 43	24	7 33	4 35
10	7 13	4 41	25	7 35	4 25
11	7 14	4 40	26	7 30	4 34
12	7 15	4 38	27	7 38	4 24
13	7 17	5 37	28	7 39	5 33
14	7 18	4 30	29	7 41	4 20
15	7 20	4 31	30	7 43	4 21

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights.

According to Culbertson

Perhaps the best thing to be said for duplicate bridge (and there are many good things that might be said) is that "big card-holders" have no advantage over their less fortunate brethren. In duplicate contests, aces and kings take back seats. It is sound bidding and play that counts. By way of illustration I cite this deal.

South, dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 8 6 5
♥ 7 4
♦ Q 7 3 2
♣ 6 5 4 3

WEST
♠ J 10 9 7 4 3
♥ 9 3 2
♦ 10 4
♣ J 9

EAST
♠ K
♥ J 10 6 5
♦ J 9 6 5
♣ Q 10 7 2

SOUTH
♠ A Q 2
♥ A K Q 8
♦ A K 8
♣ A K 8

At two tables of this match point duplicate game the powerhouse South hand was held by players who were twin souls in the matter of optimism. Swept off their feet by the magnificent array of top cards, and choosing to ignore the question of losers, both of these players opened the bidding with the sensational, if not sound, call of six no trump! Other Souths, correctly enough, were satisfied with the more modest and sufficiently inviting bid of three no trump.

One of the optimists promptly proved that his eyes were bigger than his skill. Getting a spade lead from West, he won, cashed the ace and king of diamonds, then led to the diamond queen. He was thoroughly disgusted when the suit failed to break, although what good that break would have done him (except to save an unimportant undertrick) is more than I can say. Even with four diamonds, he would have taken only 11 tricks.

The other optimist was made of sterner stuff. He permitted East to win the first trick with the spade king! That little manoeuvre all by itself was sufficient to swing the outcome from failure to success. East returned the heart jack, not that it mattered. South won and cashed his two spade tricks. Immediately, East was put under pressure, he could not discard twice without wrecking his own hand and his side's chances. Actually, it did not make any difference what he let go, if declarer shifted his attack to meet East's discards, but as it happened he chose to give up one club and one diamond. Thereupon declarer ran four diamond tricks, and East was squeezed again! If he discarded a heart, declarer would cash four heart tricks; if East surrendered another club, declarer would ditch the heart six and take the fulfilling trick with the club eight.

This particular South had been lucky to catch East in a progressive squeeze position, but he also had been skilful enough to capitalize his opportunity.

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

1,300 Tons of Herring in Day

VANCOUVER Nov 23 (CP)—Maj. J. A. Motherwell, chief supervisor of fisheries, said today the Dominion Fisheries Department has closed down herring fishing in the Nanoose area to avoid loss of the food fish.

The smaller packing plants had become glutted through the larger plants were able to keep abreast of the catch.

Beneficiaries demand that all herring caught in the waters on the East Coast of Vancouver Island must be canned. It is therefore the duty of the Fisheries Department to see that there is no spoilage as the result of accumulation beyond the capacity of the plants to handle within reasonable time.

ONE BOAT TAKES 400 TONS IN SET

NANAIMO, Nov. 22 — Eighteen hundred tons of herring were taken at Nanoose Bay this morning by nine seine boats operating there, one boat taking 400 tons in one set.

J. F. Tait, supervisor of fisheries for the Lower Mainland and Vancouver Island coasts, states that since the opening of the season, October 16, 18,000 tons have been taken, and he expects that the quota of 30,000 tons for the East Coast of the Island, from Cape Mudge to Victoria, will have been reached long before the official closure date, February 3.

If quotas are reached before that date, the season is automatically closed at once.

The 400 tons taken by one boat today is by no means a record, as last season several catches were made of 700 tons in a single set.

The quota for herring in all the Island and Lower Mainland areas totals approximately 134,000 tons, and Mr. Tait states he believes the fishery will be made before a final closure date.

Vernon Flyer Awarded Medal

VERNON, Nov. 23 (CP)—Warrant Officer William F. Beale, 22, of the Royal Canadian Air Force, and son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Beale, of Vernon, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Medal for action involved in an attack on two surfaced enemy submarines, it was learned today. He has also been promoted from warrant officer to warrant officer first class.

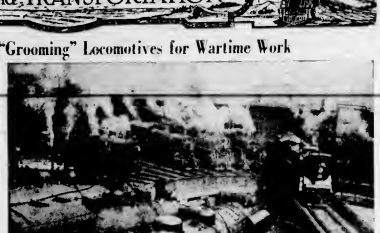
The Sunderland bomber, in which W.O. Beale was one of the crew, destroyed one U-boat, but was disabled by a blast from the other. Beale contacted a nearby Allied destroyer, which finished the second sub and picked up survivors from the sinking aircraft.

W.O. Beale, home on leave, enlisted in the Fifth Regiment Moncton Corps in 1940. He later transferred to the RCAF and went overseas in 1942. Born at Bellandine Beach, he was educated at Vancouver and later moved to Vernon with his parents.

MORE WORKERS

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 23 (AP)—L. P. Randall, assistant manager of the war recruitment for the Henry J. Kaiser Shipyards in this area, predicted today that the Vancouver yard would have 10,000 additional workers by January 1.

"Grooming" Locomotives for Wartime Work



"GROOMING" is one of the highly important jobs accomplished daily in Canadian National Railways roundhouses throughout the system. The term applies to the servicing of locomotives before they leave the stalls to start on a long journey hauling a troop train, or one of those big fast freights made up of carloads of war supplies and materials.

At Canada's largest and busiest roundhouse, Turcot, in Montreal, operating on a 24-hour basis, Canadian National motive power is turned out at the average rate of one locomotive in less than every eleven minutes. Accommodation is available for 62 engines, five of the 57 pits each being capable of servicing two iron horses at the same time.

The photograph shows a fleet of locomotives awaiting attention with one of the giant 6200-type, Canadian National's latest design, embarking on the turntable under the guidance of a hostler to go on a track for its train.

Long Dispute Nears an End

VANCOUVER Nov. 23 (CP)—End of the long dispute between Local No. 1 of the Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders' Union and the Canadian Congress of Labor seemed near today following disclosure by union officials that the membership would meet Sunday to discuss final proposals for settlement submitted by the congress.

A. A. Mosher, CCL national president, has replied to a proposal sent him last week by the union that the boilermakers would join the congress on a basis of affiliation rather than as a local chartered union, it is disclosed by Malcolm MacLeod, the union's business agent.

Neither union officials nor CCL officials in Vancouver would state what Mosher's suggestions were.

Civil Defence

A Civil Defence exercise took place Monday evening when high explosives and fire were assumed to have caused 38 casualties. Casualties received bills first aid treatment at Quadra Primary first aid point, Victoria, and were then conveyed in ambulances to the Tillicum School, Saanich, which acted in the capacity of a hospital under the supervision of Dr. L. Clayton Saanich medical health officer. Members of the Boy Scouts and students of Malvern House School acted as "casualties." This was the first time that a test had been held when the city was fogbound, but it showed that the members of the Women's Ambulance Corps had an excellent knowledge of the city and district and that they were most capable and cautious drivers. Mrs. I. Bickett supervised the bills treatment of casualties at Quadra Primary first aid point. A Red Cross recorder was in attendance. District Warden T. Cresswell, District 3, Victoria, Captain E. D. W. Levieo, Saanich Civil Defence controller; Captain D. J. Proudfoot, chief warden, Victoria; Mrs. E. Harwood, St. John Ambulance Nursing Division; Mrs. M. Sampson, St. John Ambulance Nursing Division; Mr. Preedy, first aid officer Equimalt; Alderman J. W. Worthington, Victoria Way Board, and Inspector A. H. Hoop, Victoria Civil Defence controller, witnessed the exercise and highly commended all units taking part.

FATALITY AT SCHOOL

CHICAGO, Nov. 23 (AP)—Three 14-year-old boys stumbled going down a short flight of stairs today at St. Hilas High School on the west side and a pressing crowd of fellow students trampled one of them to death and injured the other two.

The dead youth was John P. Mortlan. He died in hospital, apparently of internal injuries, attendants said.

BLAST PREHISTORIC ICE

COURTENAY, B.C. (CP)—A huge block of ice—believed a relic of some prehistoric glacier—was shattered by a powder charge placed 120 feet below ground level in a gravel pit near here. Some of the ice fragments weighed more than 15 pounds.

DUBLIN (CP)—Commander Sir Hercules Robert Langrishe, Bart., 56, died at his residence, Knocktopher Abbey County Kilkenny.

Forecasts Higher Street Car Fares

VANCOUVER, Nov. 23 (CP)—Ald. Charles Jones, chairman of a special civic committee which investigated the Public Utilities Commission report on the B.C. Electric, submitted his report to Vancouver City Council today.

Ald. Jones reported that earnings allowed the BCE it would force an increase in gas service rates, and street car and interurban fare rates after the war, and offer little prospect of reduction in light and power rates.

Operating Revenue Of National Road Shows Big Advance

MONTREAL, Nov. 23—An increase in operating revenues of $1,583,000 for the month of October, 1943, in comparison with the similar period of last year, is reported in the official monthly statement of operating revenues, expenses and net revenue of the Canadian National Railways all-inclusive system issued at headquarters here today. For the first ten months this year, operating revenues increased by $57,705,000 over the corresponding ten months of 1942.

October's operating revenues totaled $37,585,000, as compared with $36,002,000 for the month of October, 1942. The net revenue for the period under review amounted to $6,239,000 which is $358,000 more than that reported for last year's October. Operating expenses for October, 1943, are $1,247,000 higher than those reported for the similar month last year.

For the October 31, 1941, Canadian National Railways operating revenues amounted to $34,534,000, as compared with a $36,820,000 reported for the first ten months of 1942. Net revenue for the first ten months period was $61,257,000, as against $7,864,000 for the same period in 1943, an increase of $9,893,000.

Takes Over Portland Unit

PORTLAND, Ore. Nov. 23 (AP)—An international vice-president of the A.F.L. Boilermakers' Union took over control of the wealthy Portland boilermakers' unit today and immediately promised to turn affairs of the local back to union members soon.

The vice-president, Otto W. Mutzner, moved into union headquarters meeting recruitment officers and the governing board.

Mutzner said he would call an election at an early date, and assured all members could participate, adding that the international had no intention of punishing "one member or members who may have, under emotional stress, challenged its authority."

The court orders effmaced a long and involved legal battle by the international to wrest control from Tom Rae, secretary and business agent. Rae was charged with indoctrination and "practices detrimental to the war effort."

Launching Frigate On Saturday Next

Named after an outpost British Columbia community, H.M.C. Frigate Kokanee will be launched from a slipway at Yard 2, Yarrows Limited, at 12.30 p.m., Saturday, November 27.

The sponsor of the Kokanee will be Miss Lavrina Delbrook, timekeeper at the No. 2 plant, who was chosen by ballot from among fifteen members of the staff. E. W. Izard, general manager, supervising the launching.

Special invited guests include His Worship the Mayor, Hon. Nelson W. Ebling M.P., F. H. Putnam, M.P.P., and Mrs. Putnam.

Members of the Canadian Women's Army Corps are giving instruction in rifle and revolver shooting.

"Mother's Corner" for Seamen

Mother's Corner" is one of the most popular places at the Navy League Seamen's Club in Halifax. It is conducted by ladies who volunteer for an hour daily and have a merry time seamen can have anything mended, even the seat of his pants, if he doesn't mind bending over the table

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re Free Light and Power

The Following Is the Text of the Order of the Public Utilities Commission With Regard to Free Light and Power as Applicable to the Southern Area of Vancouver Island:

"The 13th day of November, A.D. 1943

"WHEREAS upon investigation by the Commission it was found that on the basis of the 1942 revenues of the Company a reduction in charges to customers in some units of service was indicated.

"WHEREAS an inspection of the business of the Company during the past seven years has indicated that its present revenues cannot be considered to be normal and their continuance cannot be assured

"WHEREAS because of the abnormal conditions at the present time it is not opportune to make a complete revision of the rate structures

"WHEREAS the revenues of the Company at the present time are such as to justify some immediate relief to customers of the electric service

"AND WHEREAS the method of giving such relief should be temporary in character.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS ORDERED

That no charges shall be made by the said Company for electrical power or energy furnished to the public under the categories, schedules or codes, and within the respective distinct areas and during the periods herein set forth . . .

Vancouver Island South Area

(AS DEFINED IN THE REPORT OF THIS COMMISSION, DATED JULY, 1943)

"In this area there shall be no charge made for the equivalent of two months' bills to the customers served under the rate codes and categories as set out below, commencing with the meter reading of November 5th, 1943, and covering each and every meter reading taking place within the two monthly billing periods following the said November 5th, 1943

"The aforesaid shall apply to:

"(a) All residential and domestic lighting, cooking, water heating and auxiliary heating under Codes 8, 9, 10, 11, 16, 16A, 17, 17A, 22, 26, 28, 29, 30 and 31, as filed with this Commission, and flat rate water heating

"(b) All commercial lighting and heating furnished under Codes 12, 13, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 24 and 25, as filed with this Commission, and flat rates for signs

"(c) Those commercial power installations furnished with electrical energy under Codes 40, 41, 42 and 45, as filed with this Commission

"(d) All municipal street lighting

"(e) All public schools and general hospitals

"Provided, however, that in cases where the foregoing applies where the amount of current consumed by any customer during the aforesaid no charge period is abnormally high, a charge may be made by the Company with the consent of the Commission, for current consumed in excess of the consumption during the two months' billing periods immediately preceding

The foregoing is published for the information of all those whom it may concern, by the

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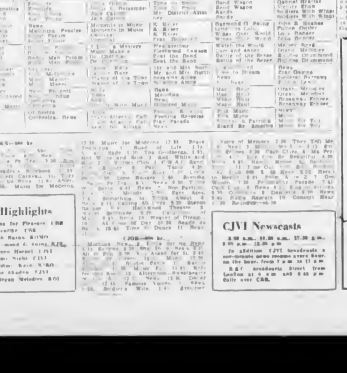

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Bridge-Tea Aids Bursary Fund

Forty-six tables of bridge were in play Tuesday afternoon at the Oak Bay Theatre ballroom when members of the Women's Canadian Club entertained at a bridge-tea in aid of the club's bursary fund.

Winners at the party were Miss Alison Jones, Mrs. C. Hudson, Mrs. Miss Eileen MacDonald. Prizes were donated by Mrs. F. G Aldous, Mrs. K C. Drury, Mrs Herbert Pendray, Miss Kathleen Agnew, Mrs. Fred Pollard.

Guests were welcomed by the president, Mrs F O. Aldous, and the general convener, Mrs. Fred Pollard. The platform in the ballroom was artistically decorated with baskets of flowers, vivid marigolds, and bronze chrysanthemums, with sprays of Cotoneaster, and fern, while the long tea table was centred with bowls of rose shaded chrysanthemums All the members of the executive committee assisted in serving. Several additional guests arrived at the tea hour, and Mrs. John Hart was an especially invited guest.

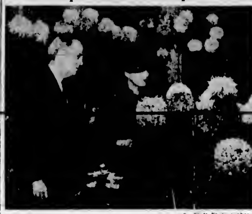
Through the efforts of the members the bridge-tea will appreciably augment the bursary funds, which supply two bursaries of $100 each to the boy and the girl attaining the highest marks in matriculation, and proceeding to Victoria College, also a $25 scholarship in home economics, and a history prize to a student at Margaret Jenkins School.

C.W.A.C. Bands Return to Units

With their multi-tartaned pipes, the C W A C Pipe Band made an impressive scene at the C N R Station in Vancouver last night when they piped the departing C W A C. Brass Band onto the eastbound train. This was a return compliment to the girls of the "brass," who played for the "pipers" when they left the Victoria dock on Monday afternoon The pipers are to be stationed at Hastings Park, Vancouver, for the Winter months, and the brass band will remain in Red Deer, Alta.

Before the bands will commence further tours they will bring their band numbers up to strength with new recruits, be given more ceremonial drill and those not receiving basic training will undergo this course. Further plans for the bands next year have as yet not been announced.

Admire Exceptional Blooms at Empress Hotel



—By Staff Photographer

MR. AND MRS. D. C. COLEMAN

Who left Victoria last night for the Mainland en route to the East. Mr Coleman, chairman and president of the C P R, was accompanied on his visit to this Coast by Mrs. Coleman, and in the picture above they are shown admiring the beautiful chrysanthemums which are a feature of the conservatory at the Empress Hotel.

Queen's Canadian Fund

The Hon Robert S Hudson, Britain's Minister of Agriculture in a recent broadcast, stressed the value of the fine work done by the 50,000 schoolboys and girls who helped to bring in the harvest this year He emphasized how much had been saved in shipping

Miss Catherine Steele of Toronto, one of the trained workers sent overseas by the Queen's Canadian Fund is doing very fine work in a London Central School to which she is attached. From this school 33 pupils volunteered for the School Harvest Camp, in Wiltshire

Miss Steele writes

"For the past two years the Education Authorities have urged the school children, 14 years and over, to volunteer to help gather in the harvest There has been a fine response from the public, secondary, and in London, the central and junior technical schools In the county of Wiltshire, alone, there were eighty school camps.

"From our school we had a group of thirteen boys and twenty girls My previous camp experience resulted in my appointment as camp organizer. The War Agricultural Executive Committee of Wiltshire was responsible for the organization and equipment of the camps They provided grants for railway fares, paid the cook rented the village hall and sent tents, blankets, pots and pans, etc

"Traveling these days is a feat in itself Railway and cartage officials however willing, simply cannot spare the time to help When we had to change trains, the only space available was in the luggage van.

"The work of the children was to lift potatoes on one of the farms belonging to the War Agricultural Committee They worked a six-hour day, and when they were used to the work a seven-hour day. They were paid 8½d an hour—the half penny being used for insurance. This money bought food and fuel What is left, about £1 each—will go to the children.

"I was very pleased about the free happy and natural atmosphere we soon achieved The children were co-operative and willing to undertake any jobs The boys were especially interested in learning how to pitch and strike tents. I was sorry the war prevented our having a camp fire At the end of three weeks the children were brown and healthy and sorry to leave their good friends to the village."

Honors for Brides-Elect

Miss Edna Hooper, who is to be married shortly was the guest of honor at a shower held in the lounge of the B C Telephone Company by the long-distance staff The attractive supper table was centred with green moss set on a mirror, representing the map of Ireland, native country of the bridegroom On behalf of the traffic department, Miss Maude Burley, chief operator, presented Miss Hooper with a chenille bedspread and a rosewood lamp.

Weddings

JOHN—PENKETH

Against a background of white chrysanthemums in St John's Church on Tuesday evening, Rev F Comley assisted by Sqdn Ldr Mosop, R A F solemnized the marriage between Doreen, only daughter of Mr and Mrs T A Penketh, 2744 Avebury Avenue and F.O. Dorian Raynham Thomas John, R A F, eldest son of Mrs E M Cowden, Ysgwaddu House, Miskin, Pontyclun, S Wales and the late Mr John The organist was in attendance and during the signing of the register played Ave Maria A long-sleeved frock of white chiffon and lace with a train, was worn by the bride and her veil of illusion lace reached to the hem of her skirt from a Mary Stuart coronet She carried a shower bouquet of pink rosebuds and white carnations The bride's attendants were Mrs. J A Ross gowned in pale pink sheer, and Mrs E Marshall in palest blue They wore wreaths of fresh pink snapdragons and carnations, and mauve and pink chrysanthemums respectively in their hair to match their bouquets Flt Lieut A V Smith, R A F, was groomsman and serving as ushers were Mr Joe Lott and Flt Lieut Gerry Haddon.

At a large reception in the Hotel Douglas Mr and Mrs Penketh were assisted by Mrs J V. Johnson in welcoming their guests The charmingly arranged supper table was centred with the cake and this was cut by the bride after the toast had been given by her uncle Mr J. V Johnson For a honeymoon on the Mainland the bride chose an aquamarine doeskin suit and hat with brown accessories a fur coat and corsage bouquet of orchids

Red Cross Notes

REMOVING OFFICE

Red Cross Corps Office 412 Pemberton Building, will be removed to 1010 Government Street today and the telephone number will be E 8922

C.W.L. INCREASES FUNDS

A largely attended social evening and card party was held last night at the home of Mrs Frances Sullivan, 625 Selkirk Avenue, by the Senior Subdivision of the Catholic Women's League, beneficiary being the league funds Mrs Blair Reid, Mrs P C Shaw, Mrs W Milligan, Mrs McGrath and Mrs Roy Kissinger formed a committee and arranged the contests and refreshments during the evening Winners at bridge were Mrs. M. E James Mr A Battie Mrs J D Kissinger and Mrs. W Milligan.

Social and Personal

The Social Department Telephone Is E 3311

Lieut. and Mrs. C T. McNair are now residing at 271 Barrington Street, Halifax

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Reilly, Toronto, have taken up residence at

Mrs Jack Newton, Toronto, is expected in Victoria shortly to join her husband, Flt. Lieut Newton.

Mrs G. Roberts is the guest of Mr and Mrs. R. S M Forbes, West Vancouver.

Mrs Ernest Rogers, Vancouver, is spending several days at the Empress Hotel.

Lieut Don Lambert, R.C.N V R., and Mrs Lambert, have returned from Vancouver.

Mrs E A Titchmarsh, Penticton, is visiting Vancouver, the guest of Mrs. H Bernulf Clegg, en route to her home.

Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. T File, Montreal, have arrived at the Coast and will take up residence in Victoria.

After visiting her sister, Miss Oonagh Macklin, Vancouver, Miss Angela Macklin has returned to the city

Mrs John Philip Washington, D C who has been visiting in Vancouver lately, will come to Victoria, where she will reside.

Mrs Kathleen Bowker Montreal, who has been visiting Mrs Alfred Bull, Vancouver is now the guest of Lady Butler, Victoria.

Out-of-town guests at the John Penketh wedding last night were Mrs C Lawson, North Vancouver and Mr L Jeeves Powell River

Mrs Charles Peck Seattle who has been spending a few days in Victoria a guest at The Angela returned to her home yesterday afternoon

Captain and Mrs J G Langley and their son, Douglas have arrived at Halifax and are visiting Mr Langley's parents, Mr and Mrs G M Graham

Surgeon-Lieutenant Jim McCoy R C N V R and Mrs McCoy have returned from Prince Rupert and are visiting Mrs McCoy's mother Mrs M A Telfer Hampshire Road

Mrs Carlie Ripley Parrsborough N S is expected shortly in the city to join her husband, Chief Petty Officer Ripley R C N, stationed here.

Captain and Mrs A C Wurtele H M C S Stadacona returned to Halifax after spending two weeks visiting Montreal and Ottawa Mr, Wurtele is formerly of Victoria

Mrs Henry A Bird Swift Current Sask is visiting at the home of her mother Mrs G W Robinson 2929 Quadra Street who is at present a patient in Royal Jubilee Hospital

The Viscountess Byng of Vimy who has been residing at the Roxborough, in Ottawa will come to Victoria shortly after Christmas to spend the remainder of the Winter in the city.

L.A.W. Dorothy Pembridge, R C A F. (W.D.), recently transferred from Guelph, Ont., and Corporal Iris Pembridge, C.W A.C., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pembridge, 646 Simcoe, celebrating the twenty-first birthday of Corporal Pembridge

Mrs. Wilson Goode and her mother, Mrs. Charles Allen, who have been staying at the Empress Hotel for the past two weeks, have returned to Vancouver to meet Mr. Charles Allen, San Francisco, who arrived from the South on Monday ... mother.

Vancouver visitors registered at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday include: Mr. and Mrs. E. G. MacDougall, Mr. W J. Sherwood, Mr. J. Eric Smith, Mr. Charles T. Hamilton, Mr A G Meekison, Major C. G. Mathews, Mr P H. Leigh, Mr. H. Munroe, Mr A. K Leitch, Mr. P A Boyle, Mr. C B Gordon, Mr. Charles Trevost, Lieut. and Mrs. W H. Lea, Miss M David, Mrs. J. F Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Livsey, Lieut. and Mrs. G Reef-Thomas, Mrs E A. and Miss M. Morris From Montreal is Mrs E T Rogers; Toronto, Mr Victor T Goggin, and Prince Rupert, Mr R M Winslow.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. M Groves in honor of Miss Flora McMillan, a bride-to-be of December. Miss McMillan received her many lovely gifts from her co-workers An enjoyable evening was spent playing cards and a sit-down supper was served, after which the guests enjoyed solos rendered by Mrs. Dorothy Leech, "Yours" and "You'll Never Know" Among the invited guests were Mrs. D Leech, Mrs M Mackie, Mrs J. Wilmot and Misses M Sutherland, R Leung, W Caldwell, G M Robertson, E Glover, Naida and Vera Blackmore and Wrens G. Gunn I MacGregor and Coder Fred Corman O C Matthews Coder D Low, Coder Hewitt and Sgt C Mackie.

Ultra Feminine and Ultra Smart

Something to cherish through the Winter and into Spring—an exquisite blouse of fine rayon lace in a delicate shade of pink Ultra-feminine in feeling, it has cascading jabot ruffles at the deep V-neckline, matched by flattering frills at the wrist To complement this costume, exquisite with furs, we chose a tiny toque of mink and felt

Parent-Teacher Associations

MONTEREY

Mr R F Blandy municipal clerk and treasurer was guest speaker when Monterey P-T A met Tuesday at the school Mr Blandy gave a comprehensive review of the function of the municipality and ... interesting ... about Oak Bay from the time of its incorporation in 1906 He explained some problems of the municipality's finances and plans for the postwar reconstruction to be undertaken by Oak Bay Mrs E Evans announced the new radio series about Canada in the postwar world entitled Of Things to Come would be heard every Tuesday over CBR from 8 to 8 30 o'clock John Beckwith entertained with some piano solos

Women's Institutes

BRENTWOOD

Brentwood Women's Institute recently held its annual bazaar and card party at the Institute Hall, Brentwood Bay Mr W Dempster welcomed the guests and introduced Rev W H Turner who opened the bazaar The affair was a great success with stalls well patronized Those in charge of the stalls were Fancywork and plain sewing Mrs G Bickford and Mrs S. Moody, home cooking Mrs W O Wallace and Mrs W Williams, games, Mr M Hamilton and Mrs E Lee Mrs J Vantreight fishing pool During the afternoon Miss K Lowe sang two solos and played selections on the piano Tea was served from small tables arranged in the hall In the evening a bridge party was held the winners being Mrs H Andrews and Mrs E Lee Mr Hall and Mr S Moody, Mrs. S. Shiner and Mr Taylor The annual turkey card party will be held at the hall on Saturday December 11.

TO HOLD SILVER TEA

Mizpah Court No 2 Order of the Amaranth will hold a silver tea at the residence of Mrs G Peters 2583 Heron Street from 2 to 4 30 Wednesday, proceeds to go to war work.

Teaching an Ace to Shoot

At a fighter station in England, Peggy Diggins, war photographer whose pictures are released through International News Photos, teaches Major Eugene P. Roberts, American fighter pilot, how to shoot with a camera. Major Roberts is good with machine guns, being credited with shooting down six German planes He also has a "probable" to his credit.

Young People's Organizations

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

At an executive meeting held on Monday at Joyce Dixon's, with Irene Webb presiding, reports were given by Rita Gibson, monthly convener; Annie Collins, envelope secretary, and Margaret Harness Helen Grieves and Darwin Wilkes, group leaders Miss Harness asked that books and toys to be sent as Christmas gifts to an Indian Mission be brought to the Christmas Craft meeting on Wednesday at 8 p m Joan Luke stated that entertainers are needed for the Fellowship Hour every Sunday evening in the Memorial Hall following church Val Stewart, treasurer, then gave a financial report.

Central Pacific

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engaged in mopping-up and in cleaning out snipers.

MAY BE 5,000 JAPANESE

The fleet spokesman indicated there were 4,000 or 5,000 Japanese on Tarawa, where the stiffest resistance was encountered from the outset.

"Approximately twice as many as were on Attu (where there were more than 2,000) and five times as many as on Makin," was the way he put it

He did not say whether all these troops were concentrated on Betio or whether other islands of the atoll were garrisoned It was obvious, however that the bulk of the Japanese strength in the Tarawa atoll was on Betio

The communique said raids are being continued against the Marshalls by carrier aircraft and army bombers These raids, at first diversionary also were designed to pin down the enemy's air power in that area.

Nauru, bombed November 21, was reported to be so badly damaged that the enemy presumably was unable to use it as a base for the defence against the current landings A fleet spokesman disclosed today that the November 21 raid also extended to Ocean Island southeast of Nauru He said it was made by the 13th Air Force and navy land-based bombers from Admiral William F Halsey's South Pacific Command

Berlin Wrecked

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Berlin were Siemensstadt where the great Siemens Electrical Works are located Spandau Wilmersdorf Neukoelln Lichtenberg and Pankow

The tremendous task of clearing away debris was said to have stumped Berlin authorities who were unable to cope with such widespread destruction An official order directed owners of excavation equipment bulldozers and other machinery to report immediately

Thousands of people obviously bombed out crowded into railway stations subways and other public centres one report said

HITLER'S HOUSE BADLY BURNED

An eyewitness said a fire which started on the roof had burned the upper floor of Hitler's house while Ribbentrop's home on the Wilhelmstrasse was literally blown away The Netherlands legation was among diplomatic quarters reported destroyed

Berlin residents were described as stunned as to be apathetic They are fully aware of the seriousness of the situation but no panic was seen it was said

Travelers arriving here tonight from Berlin some with their eyes still red and smarting from smoke, said the damage in the centre of Berlin was especially widespread"

When they left the city late in the afternoon "we counted at least 20 fires still raging one said

Excerpts from their comment

When we left Berlin this afternoon it still partially was hidden by smoke Here and there the cherry red of fires glowed through One railway station still was burning

We had difficulty walking through the streets because they were blocked by piles of debris.

With no exaggeration we can say there is hardly a window left intact in the centre of Berlin "

The German railway system was hard hit as Berlin is its hub The Stettiner and Potsdamer stations from which traffic flows north and southwest from the capital were shattered No trains entered or left the Anhalter station. The section north of the Friedrichstrasse station was devastated, although the station itself was undamaged. Tracks west of the Lehrter station were torn up by bombs, blocking the terminal

Neutral Swedish correspondents were prohibited tonight from filing from Berlin any more stories on the raid damage The first unprecedented flood of reports from the Nazi capital apparently were due to the untold confusion of the Nazi censorship and other Government agencies

Some idea of the widespread damage may be gleaned from the fact that the homes of seven Swedish and Danish correspondents, in widely separated sections of Berlin, were destroyed

Russian Front

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positions southwest of Krichev, midway between Smolensk and Gomel, where "fierce fighting is continuing "

In the drive toward Orsha, the Germans said, the Russians had hurled 34 infantry divisions and six tank brigades—perhaps 450,000 men —in the battle already seven days old

The Germans also admitted a withdrawal in the Gomel area where, they said, they had retreated "southwest of Gomel "

The Soviet communique said only that in the area west of Rechitsa several populated places were captured, while north of Gomel the Russians improved their positions.

SOVIETS TAKE 40 TOWNS

In the Pripet marshes the Russians captured more than 40 towns and hamlets, including the district centre of Bragin 65 miles southwest of Gomel.

To the south in the Dnieper Bend the Russians increased their pressure to straighten the last Nazi-held eastward bulge in the Lower Ukraine Ten fortified German places were captured in the sector southwest of Dnepropetrovsk and nine taken south of Kremenchug.

The Moscow newspaper Red Star reported the east bank of the Dnieper virtually cleared of Germans as organized resistance ceased more than 24 hours ago The Germans were said to be fighting now only at the crossings Inside the Dnieper Bend, the paper said the Germans were increasing their counter-attacks as cold weather provided surer ground for their vehicles

The continued Russian retreat in the North Ukraine was the major development of the day as the wording of the Moscow communique indicated that Field Marshal Gen Fritz von Mannstein's forces had circled almost halfway back to Kiev from Zhitomir in 10 days

The Germans appeared striving to clear lateral communications via the Leningrad-Odessa railroad but the Russians still held the junction of Korosten and Ovruch to the north

Price of Coal

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U M W A in the existing circumstances

UNION ASKED INCREASE OF $2

The union asked an increase of $2 a day time and one-half for overtime and holidays with pay and It was indicated at Calgary headquarters of the union tonight the miners would accept the commission's awards Incomplete returns showed a 2-to-1 vote for acceptance by the men involved

The miners cast their ballots Monday after findings and directions of the commission, under its powers as a regional war labor board, were issued Today's report, directed to Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, Federal Minister of Labor, and the National War Labor Board at Ottawa confirmed the awards

Results of the Edmonton and district mines votes showed 251 against accepting the awards and 178 in favor However, Peter Collins secretary of sub-district No. 3 of District 18 said the men will abide by the decision arrived at by a majority vote in District 18

The union executive called the strike while the commission was sitting in Calgary The men responded to the strike call at midnight Sunday Oct 31 against what was termed by miners leaders as the "dilly-dallying methods" of the Government

The report said the awards granted the miners will necessitate an increase in the selling price of coal, or financial assistance to the mine operators to keep the mines open There was no recommendation by the commission on how the operators should be assisted in meeting the increased demands

An increase in the ceiling price of coal of 40 cents a ton would be justified the commission report said, if the claims of the mine operators as to their financial positions are established "The commission has required the mine owners to submit financial statements, and our accountant has prepared a tabulation showing the financial position of the companies involved and the operators' claims for price increase or subsidy We are not satisfied these claims are all sound "

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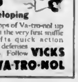
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Clubs and Societies

Elks W.A.

A meeting of Elks W.A. will be held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at Elks Hall.

Jill Tars Club

Jill Tars Club will meet on Wednesday at 8 p.m. at the Y.W.C.A. Materials will be on hand for toys for the blitz babies and members will bring their own sewing equipment.

Job's Daughters

Job's Daughters will meet at the Shrine Auditorium on Thursday at 7.45 p.m. There will be no initiation but a practice will be held after the meeting.

St. John's Senior W.A.

St. John's Senior W.A. held a meeting Tuesday afternoon when Miss Rathbone, diocesan educational secretary, presented lantern slides on missionary work in Latin-America. Members of the St. Barnabas' W.A. were guests for the afternoon and nominations of officers took place.

St. Mark's W.A.

At a meeting of the St. Mark's W.A. held Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. A. W. Popert, educational secretary, reviewed several chapters of the study book "Publisher of Peace." Nomination papers were distributed for the annual meeting on December 14, when all officers will bring their reports. On November 30, St. Andrew's Day, a service will be held for the women's auxiliaries in the church. One new member, Mrs. E. Bell, was welcomed.

Business, Professional Women

A meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club was held in the clubroom Monday. A general discussion of the question of offering sanctuary in Canada to refugees was led by Mrs. Leonard. The principal speaker was Miss Margaret Clay. Several of the members took part in the open discussion. Announcement was made of National Night, to be held next Monday evening, November 29, at the home of Mrs. J. Hebden Gillespie, Fairfield Road, who will give a lecture-recital on "National Music."

C.C.F. Women's Council

An outline was given by Mrs. H. J. Beale of the development of the present economic system from the days of handcrafts through the early machine age to the advent of the steam engine and ending with the modern machine age and monopoly capital. This was the first in a series of discussions on the new C.C.F. book, "Make This Your Canada," at a meeting held by the Victoria C.C.F. Women's Council on Tuesday afternoon at 857 Pandora Avenue. Further discussions will be held at the coming meetings.

Beta Sigma Phi

Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, held a meeting at the Y.W.C.A. clubroom on Monday. The president, Miss Barbara Dawson, welcomed as guests Miss Ruth McKay, Toronto, and Mrs. K. Reese, Nanaimo chapter. Also welcomed back to Zeta Chapter was Mrs. H. Bird, the former Helen Robinson, who is residing in the city for a few weeks. During the business period, a Winter project was discussed and plans formulated for a Christmas party. The cultural programme on "Verse Making" was taken by Miss Joan Charlebois, assisted by Miss Win Elliott, Miss Joyce Goggin, Mrs. W. Levis, Mrs. E. Searle and Mrs. T. Hammond. Original limericks, ballads and lyrics were read by the authors and discussed for form, meter and rhyme. Each member [illegible] choice and told why she liked it. Mrs. T. Hammond will hold an extra meeting at her home on Avebury Avenue on November 29.

W.A. Cowichan Hospital

A meeting of the W.A. to Cowichan Hospital Association was held Monday afternoon at the Nurses' Home, the president, Mrs. E. W. Neel, in the chair. The treasurer reported a bank balance of $44.27, with an expenditure for linen during the past month of $220. Mrs. J. E. Saunders, for the new sewing committee, reported 167 articles made for the hospital since the October meeting. It was reported that the St. Edward's Altar Society had done the hospital mending for the month of October, and Dogwoods Chapter, I.O.D.E., had helped the hospital W.A. with November mending. Final arrangements for the community bazaar in December were made, and several generous donations have already been received. A nominating committee was appointed, Mrs. G. P. McMillan and Mrs. R. H. M. Shaw being chosen to act. Mrs. G. H. Savage gave an interesting report on the annual convention of the British Columbia Hospitals' Association, held in October, at Victoria. Her report dealt mainly with the work of the many hospital auxiliaries in British Columbia. Mrs. Savage was warmly thanked for her excellent report. At the conclusion of the meeting Mrs. Savage served tea.

Alleges Tax Evasion

VANCOUVER, Nov. 23 (CP).—F. J. Grover, inspector of income tax here, said in an interview today that investigation is still continuing into incomes of Vancouver junk dealers.

The Vancouver Sun in a news-page story last week said an investigation was being made of alleged evasions of income tax on the part of some city junk dealers engaged in buying and selling scrap steel from shipyards.

The Sun said today that one Vancouver junk dealer is reported to have paid $75,000 in evaded taxes.

NO MILK TODAY

SAINT JOHN, N.B., Nov. 22 (CP).—Two of the largest dairies here, and vendors associated with them, will suspend milk deliveries tomorrow—for the one day only—as a result of a milk shortage. Purpose of the decision is to allow the dairies to catch up on their schedules.

FARM WORKERS HELP

EDMONTON, Nov. 23 (CP).—Placing of farm workers into labor-short packing plants in the last three weeks has reduced the plants' manpower shortage from 600 to 100 men, A. G. Maclachlan, acting manager of the local Selective Service office, reported today.

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Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

PETER SEES THE QUACK FAMILY

At the slap of Paddy the Beaver's tail on the water the shadow in the moonlight which Peter knew was really no shadow at all, but Hooty the Owl turned and passed over Paddy so low that it seemed almost to touch Paddy.

"You mind your own affairs and stop spoiling my hunting," hissed Hooty. "I won't stand it." He snapped his beak in a way that made Peter tremble, for Peter was near enough to hear, though you may be sure he was holding his breath and taking care not to make the teeniest sound. Peter was very thankful that Hooty had no such sense of smell as had Paddy.

When Hooty had finally disappeared Paddy rejoined Peter and Paddy was chuckling.

"Hooty grows shorter tempered every night," said he. "Ever since he found out that Mr. and Mrs. Quack were making their home here and have a whole family of little Quacks he has done his best to catch one of them. I suspect he dreams all day about dinner at night, but so far he hasn't had one, and he won't get one if I can help it. Mr. and Mrs. Quack are old friends and I'm too proud and pleased to have them make their home in my pond to let anything happen to them if I can help it. They learned long ago to be on the watch for danger whenever they hear me slap the water with my tail, and they've taught all the little Quacks the same thing. So when they hear the sound of that slap they wake up with all their wits working all ready to dive under water the instant they see Hooty, and they are looking for him with all their eyes. It may be kind of hard on Hooty to have me spoil his chances for a good dinner that way, but this is my pond and I don't intend to have any trouble or sadness here if I can help it."

"I suppose the little Quacks have grown some," Peter ventured.

Paddy chuckled. "A little, Peter, just a little," he replied. "You ought to see them before you go back. When did you see them last?"

"Just after they were hatched. They were funny little fuzzy things," said Peter. "I suppose they have got some feathers now."

"Yes," Paddy returned, "they have a few feathers, just a few." He chuckled again and Peter wondered why. "They are very likely looking youngsters and Mr. and Mrs. Quack are very proud of them."

And then there followed another and another until Peter had counted ten ducks almost as big as Mr. and Mrs. Quack.

"Where are they now?" asked Peter, staring out on the pond.

"That's telling," replied Paddy. "That's a secret. But if you will wait right here until daylight I promise you a sight worth seeing."

I promised Mrs. Peter to be home early," replied Peter.

"That is all right," replied Paddy. "The Quack family are early risers. They will be out before jolly, round Mr. Sun has kicked off his bed clothes. You can see them and then if your legs are as good as they used to be you can get back to the dear Old Briar Patch before most people have got the sleep winks out of their eyes."

So Peter stayed. He knew he ought not to, but he did. You see, he wanted so very much to see the Quack family. Paddy stayed with him to keep him company and they had so much to talk about that time fairly flew. The Black Shadows were just beginning to leave the pond of Paddy the Beaver when from the far side a low "Quack, Quack" reached Peter. He looked eagerly in the direction from which the sound had come. Presently he saw a black form moving out where it was lighter. He knew that it was Mr. Quack. Behind him was another and this he knew was Mrs. Quack. And then there followed another and another and another until Peter had counted ten Ducks almost as big as Mr. and Mrs. Quack. He gave a funny little gasp.

"Where did they come from?" he demanded. "Did they come up from the sunny South to join Mr. and Mrs. Quack? And where are the little Quacks?"

Paddy laughed right out. "Those are the little Quacks, only they are not little any longer," said he. "Isn't that a family to be proud of? And did you ever see any youngsters grow like those young Quacks?"

Peter allowed that he never did. In fact he couldn't believe that those ten ducks following Mr. and Mrs. Quack were really the same funny little fuzzy babies he had seen a few weeks before, and he wouldn't believe it until Mr. Quack led them all over to where he was sitting and introduced his family. Then Peter had to believe.

Next story: Redtail the Hawk Is Tempted.

Witty Kitty

The gay young blade says: After a few rides in a jeep a guy feels tough enough to take on anything.

Light Consumers To Have Rebates

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 23 (CP).—New Westminster's City Council has decided that the city's electric light and power consumers will receive a discount of one cent per kilowatt hour on November light bills.

This represents the distribution of about $5,000 among 5,000 consumers and is in line with the Provincial Government order granting benefits to consumers.

Saanich Claims 'Rumor' Authentic

Information which led to the drafting of resolutions protesting the shipment of Great Central Lake millwood to Vancouver and the Mainland came from well-informed official sources, the fuel officer, C. P. Ennals, reported to Saanich Municipal Council sitting in committee at last night's meeting.

"I was told in no case an order for millwood from this source as it was liable to be cut off within the next two weeks, because Vancouver insisted on wood being taken in to that city," the Saanich fuel officer stated. "I said it didn't seem fair to take Great Central Lake wood, produced on the Island, to Vancouver, when we needed it here."

Saanich then decided to draft a protest to the assistant regional fuel officer, C. H. Unicume, at Vancouver.

A communication from Mr. Unicume stating that no wood was being diverted to Vancouver and asking for the source of the rumor, was read to the council.

Continuing his report Mr. Ennals said, "The next day I was told not to worry about Great Central Lake wood as the railway refused to have their cars taken off the Island." Cars loaded with millwood would have been loaded onto barges and towed to the Mainland.

According to figures of the municipality they have received ten cars of Great Central Lake millwood from October 28 to November 23, and about five cars a week were now being delivered, two to Victoria, two to Saanich and one extra.

"I think this is likely to continue to move," the municipal fuel officer stated. "I might say that we have been able to get somewhere since the local fuel office has been taken over by the new officials. They have been very helpful."

Hits at Report

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den of the utilities," he added, "whereas the commission's report now allows the utility a fixed return on the appraised values, free of all corporation income and profit taxes."

"In effect this means that the consumer will be obliged to shoulder the burden and the company's taxes," he said.

Commenting last night upon the opinion of Ald. Charles Jones, of Vancouver, on the earnings allowed the B.C. Electric as shown in the report of the Public Utilities Commission, Premier John Hart said:

"All figures on which the commission's findings are based are set forth clearly in the report. The recently-granted rebate by a reduction was necessitated by existing rates which the commission felt to be unduly high.

"On the other hand, it was agreed that a return of 5.8 per cent to the [illegible] has been no permanent agreement with the company and none is possible until the report is submitted in full to the Government.

"The present arrangement is and was meant to be only a matter of temporary adjustment, pending further consideration of circumstances as they may be in more normal times."

Smile Show Again

Owing to popular demand, the Royal Air Force Crazy "Smile" Show will return to the Royal Victoria Theatre on Wednesday, December 1, at 8.30 p.m.

Once again all the gang will be there and in addition, new acts will be included for the first time.

Comedy will be the principal ingredient in an entertainment recipe which also includes magic and music.

The list of "The Rocky Mountaineers" led by Sgt. Ronnie Brohn, the antics of the "chorines," the exhibition dances by L.A.C. Bill Butler and A.C. Sonny Harms and the constant humorous interruptions of Cpl. Jack Griffith are but some of the many highlights in a great evening's entertainment.

The show will be presented and produced by Flt. Lt. Hugh Parker. Tickets, at popular prices, may be obtained from Fletcher Bros.

BIBLE STUDY MEETING

Mrs. H. J. Binnie will address the women's meeting for Bible study at the Ross Bay Sunday Schoolroom (corner of May and Joseph Streets) on Thursday at 2.30.

Before leaving for service overseas, five Calgary soldiers each bought a Victory Bond and donated their blood to the Red Cross Blood Donor's Clinic.

At the Theatres

ATLAS THEATRE Love can come to anyone, they say, but not the way it does to Monty Woolley in "Holy Matrimony," which ends tonight at the Atlas Theatre, and which co-stars Gracie Fields with Woolley, who, it seems, is not himself when he marries—he's his butler! But he still can make his inimitable, pungent wise-cracks. A top notch cast is featured in the film which includes Laird Cregar and Una O'Connor.

OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES Warner Baxter and Margaret Lindsay fearlessly face a mob of gangsters in a tense scene in Columbia's thrilling screen version of that famous radio show "Crime Doctor," which will end tonight at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres. The film was directed by Michael Gordon.

DOMINION THEATRE Sensational revelations of Japan's mad schemes for world conquest are made in RKO Radio's remarkable new film offering, "Behind the Rising Sun," which is now at the Dominion Theatre. Margo, Tom Neal, J. Carrol Naish, Robert Ryan and Gloria Holden head the cast of the picture, which weaves a human story about the lives of a small group of Americans and Japanese in Tokio.

CAPITOL THEATRE Romance hits a snag in the story of "This Is the Army," which is showing at the Capitol Theatre when Joan Leslie as Eileen, and Lieut. Ronald Reagan, as Cpl. Jones, hear Frances Langford sing Irving Berlin's new number "What Does He Look Like." The new tune is sentimentally beautiful, but it makes the young lieutenant feel their marriage should wait until the war is over and Joan doesn't like it.

CADET THEATRE Music has charms and tangled romance embellishes it with hilarity in "Three Hearts for Julia," lilting romance with Ann Sothern and Melvyn Douglas as bewildered lovers, which ends today at the Cadet Theatre. Douglas plays a foreign correspondent, returned home to find his wife Julia (Miss Sothern), has taken up music in a big way, with a feminine symphony orchestra and a couple of young musicians who are rivals for her favor.

Amusements

On the Stage

Royal—Vivian Della Chiesa, soprano.

On the Screen

Atlas—"Holy Matrimony," starring Monty Woolley and Gracie Fields.

Cadet—"Three Hearts for Julia," featuring Ann Sothern.

Capitol—Ronald Reagan and Joan Leslie in "This Is the Army."

Dominion—"Behind the Rising Sun," with Tom Neal.

Oak Bay and Plaza—"Crime Doctor," starring Warner Baxter.

Rio—Cary Grant and Jean Arthur in "The Talk of the Town."

York—"The Powers Girl," featuring Carol Landis and George Murphy.

RIO THEATRE Columbia's exciting romantic comedy, "The Talk of the Town," ends its delightful engagement at the Rio Theatre today. Starring Cary Grant, Jean Arthur and Ronald Colman, the film was produced and directed by George Stevens from a screen play by Irwin Shaw and Sidney Buchman. Edgar Buchanan, Glenda Farrell and Tom Tyler head the featured supporting cast.

YORK THEATRE If report is true that music calms the savage beast, then "The Powers Girl," which closes tonight at the York Theatre should salve the anger of present-day madmen. Studded with headline entertainers from the world of music like Benny Goodman and his orchestra and Dennis Day, singing star of Jack Benny's radio programme, "The Powers Girl" also offers an unusual variety of new tunes.

Will Sing Here Tonight

VIVIAN DELLA CHIESA

Lovely young soprano star who will appear on the Hilker Attractions Modernage Entertainment Series tonight at the Royal Victoria. Miss Della Chiesa has countless radio fans here who look forward to her regular weekly appearances on two of the most popular programmes on the airwaves, the American Melody Hour and the American Album of Familiar Music.

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LAST 2 DAYS! TODAY and THURS. at 1:17, 4:02, 6:47, 9:32
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Sensational Drama that rips veil from Jap terror secrets!
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THE SHOW OF SHOWS! THE MOST WONDERFUL ENTERTAINMENT YET! NOW PLAYING TO RECORD CROWDS
A Generous Portion of the Receipts Goes to the Canadian Army Show and Recreation Fund!
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LAIRD CREGAR
Plus
"ATLANTIC FERRY" with MICHAEL REDGRAVE, VALERIE HOBSON
ATLAS

AT BOTH THEATRES
Plaza ODEON Oak Bay
Ends Today
WARNER BAXTER in CRIME DOCTOR with MARGARET LINDSAY
2nd HIT "Smith of Minnesota"

ENDS TODAY
NEW KIND OF THRILLER — "A NIGHT TO REMEMBER"
GIRLS' MUSIC ROMANCE — "POWERS GIRL"
TOMORROW! YORK
ERROL FLYNN ★ ANN SHERIDAN in EDGE OF DARKNESS
RAY MILLAND ★ ELLEN DREW in "French Without Tears"

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LAST TIMES TODAY
"THREE HEARTS FOR JULIA"
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JUST ANOTHER RAT

LONDON, Nov. 23 (CP).—It probably was a dirty trick on the rat, but a Halifax bomber dropped one on Berlin in last night's record raid.

The crew discovered the rat—origin undetermined—tottering around the plane, groggy from lack of oxygen at that altitude, as they neared the target.

A flyer cast it overboard muttering "Just another rat in Berlin."

RIO
ENDS TODAY
CARY GRANT • JEAN ARTHUR • RONALD COLMAN in
"THE TALK OF THE TOWN"
PLUS "SWING FROLIC"

NASSAU, Bahamas, Nov. 23 (CP).—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor returned today, ending a lengthy sojourn in the United States. The Duke went to work immediately on a message to the House of Assembly, which convenes Monday.

Finance—Commerce—Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Nov. 23 (AP).—Stocks generally milled over an irregular route in today's market.

Mixed tendencies prevailed at the [illegible] of strength were in evidence when the closing gong sounded, declines of fractions to 2 points were widespread.

Many customers either remained in neutral territory or trimmed commitments pending what Wall Street believed was an imminent Roosevelt-Churchill-Stalin conference in Europe and other important foreign developments that might follow the latest record bombing of Berlin.

The Associated Press 60-stock average was off .1 of a point at 48.4. Of 834 issues traded, 350 were down, 267 up and 217 unchanged. Transfers of 540,157 shares compared with 609,540 Monday and were the smallest for a full session since October 14.

American Distilling was up 2 1-2 points. Allied Mills dipped 7-8 in the wake of opposition filed by a stockholder to the proposal of this company to sell its liquor subsidiary, Century Distilling, to National Distillers. Hercules Motors held a gain of 5-8 at 18 1-8, a new 1943 top, when talk revived of a possible merger of this concern with a larger automobile corporation.

Rails did fairly well in the forenoon but, with the exception of Southern Pacific, which was up 1-4 eventually lost ground. Douglas Aircraft dropped 2 points to a new year's bottom. Lesser losers included Chesapeake & Ohio, U.S. Steel, Western Union "A," U.S. Rubber, Montgomery Ward, United Aircraft, American Airlines, J. I. Case, Oliver Farm, Texas Co., Kennecott and Westinghouse.

Modest plus marks were retained by American Telephone, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, Sperry, Anaconda, Du Pont, American Smelting, Caterpillar Tractor, Johns-Manville and U.S. Gypsum.

DOW JONES CLOSING AVERAGES

Thirty industrials, 132.45, off .20.
Twenty rails, 33.26, off .11.
Fifteen utilities, 20.10, off .65.
Total sales, 546,000 shares.

(S. A. Rumber, Ltd.)

	Close
American Can	82¼
American Power & Light	6⅝
American Tobacco	56
American Smelter	38¾
American Tel & Tel	155⅝
American Waterworks	5⅝
Anaconda Copper	38⅝
Armour, Ills	4⅝
Atchison Topeka	56¼
B & O Railway	5¼
Baldwin Locomotive	16⅝
Bendix Aviation	33
Bethlehem Steel	56
Boeing Aircraft	13¼
Borden	28⅝
Borg Warner	34¼
Case J I	125¼
C C R	7⅝
Cerro de Pasco	37¼
C & O Railway	41¼
Chrysler	76
Columbia Gas	4
Con Edison	22
Cont Can	33
Crucible Steel	31¼
Curtiss Wright	6⅝
Douglas Aircraft	47
Dupont	139¼
Erie R R	10
General Foods	40
General Electric	35
General Motors	50
Granby Copper	4¼
Goodrich B F	30
Goodyear Tire	34¼
Great Northern	24
Great West Sugar	23¼
Int Harvester	67
Int T & T	17⅝
Int Nickel	28
Johns Manville	83¼
Kennecott Copper	31
Lowes Theater	55¼
Montgomery Ward	44
Nash Kelvinator	1[illegible]
New York Central	16
Northern Pacific	13¼
Penn Railway	25¼
Phillips Pete	44
Pullman	37¼
Radio	9
Republic Steel	16⅝
Reynolds Tobacco	27
Safeway Stores	37¼
Standard Oil (N J)	53
Standard Brands	27¼
Sears Roebuck	87
Southern Pacific	24¼
Studebaker	1[illegible]
Texas Corporation	47
Texas Gulf	8¼
Union Carbide	76
Union Oil (Calif)	19
Union Pacific	9[illegible]
United Aircraft	27
United Gas Imp	[illegible]
United Fruit	76¼
United States Rubber	38
United States Smelting	57
United States Steel	51
Westinghouse Electric	91
Western Union	41¼
Woolworth	35
Youngstown Sheet	[illegible]
Zenith Radio	30

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

Rye—	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec	117	11[illegible]	117	117
May	116	117	[illegible]	116¾
July	114⅝	11[illegible]	113⅝	115

Cash Grain

	Close
Oats	
No. 2 C.W.	41¼
Track	51
Barley	
No. 3 C.W.	61
Track	64
Rye—	
No. 2 C.W.	111¼
Track	111¼

CHICAGO GRAIN

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec	162	162	162⅝	162⅝
May	161⅝	161⅝	160⅝	160⅝
July	159⅝	159	158¼	159
Oats—				
Dec	78⅝	78⅝	78¼	78
May	79⅝	74⅝	74⅝	74⅝
July	73	73¼	72⅝	72⅝
Rye—				
Dec	117⅝	117⅝	118⅝	117¼
May	116¼	118⅝	117	118
July	117⅝	116	113⅝	117⅝

Foreign Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Argentine 4½%, 1971	82 00	85 00
Australia 4½%, 1956	86 50	89 50
Brazil 6½%, 1957	65 50	63 00
Buenos Aires 3½, 1984	60 00	81 25
Chile 6%, 1961	16 50	18 00
Colombia 6%, 1961	49 00	60 50
Cuba 4½%, 1977	98 75	99 75
Peru 6%, 1961	15 50	17 06
Sydney 5½%, 1955	94 25	
Uruguay 4½%, 1978	70 50	71 50

(Above prices in New York)

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Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, Nov. 23 (CP).—A small gain for Bralorne gold and fractional losses for Dome and Lake Shore showed on the market today. The close was down 5 cents or less [illegible] Little Long Lac.

Steep Rock had an advance of 2.15 but failed to hold all the gain, while minor gains were netted by Normetal and Pend Oreille. International Nickel weakened a fraction.

Western Canada Flour, preferred, was off 1 3-4 to 22 1-4. Steel of Canada and Aluminum lost a point. Brazilian, B.A. Oil, Imperial and International Petroleum were down small fractions.

Western oils were depressed and lower prices were general. Home dropped to 3.05 but recovered nearly all the 25c loss. Calgary & Edmonton, Foothills, Okalta, British-Dominion, Vermilata, Brown and Pacific Refineries declined 2 to 5 cents.

MINING SECTION

(Island Investment Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Aldermac	14	15
Anglo-Huronian	8 15	8 50
Aunor	3 04	3 10
Base Metals	11	13
Bear Exploration	36½	38
Beattie	1 50	1 65
Bidgood Kirkland	.36	37
Bonetal	10	10½
Bralorne	11 25	11 50
Broulan Porcupine	60	60½
C & F Corporation	1 85	1 90
Canadian Malartic	60	63
Cariboo Gold Quartz	1 40	1 50
Central Patricia	1 50	1 65
Cochenour Willans	1 60	1 69
Chesterville	1 05	1 07
Consolidated Smelters	40 00	40 50
Dome	24 25	25 50
East Malartic	1 53	1 55
Eldorado	[illegible]	1 26
Falconbridge	3 15	3 35
God's Lake	16¾	18
Gunnar Gold	11	16
Hardrock	1 00	1 01
Hedley Mascot	30	35
Hollinger	11 00	11 25
Home Oil	3 20	3 30
Howey	.27	28
Hudson Bay M. & S.	38 25	38 37½
Jason	33	36
Kerr Addison	8 50	8 70
Kirkland Lake	79	83
Lakeshore	13 50	13 75
Leitch Gold	1 08	1 10
Little Long Lac	82½	85
Macassa	3 25	3 40
Madsen Red Lake	1 44	1 45
Malartic Goldfields	3 15	3 20
Mining Corporation	1 83	1 85
McKenzie Red Lake	1 42	1 44
McIntyre	80 00	87 50
McLeod Cockshutt	2 25	2 29
Moneta	30	38
Nipissing	1 65	1 75
Noranda	46 50	46 75
O'Brien	1 00	1 10
Pamour	1 12	1 15
Paymaster	27	29
Pend Oreille	1 41	1 45
Perron Gold	66	68
Pickle Crow	1 73	1 70
Pioneer	2 25	2 30
Premier	63	1 03
San Antonio	3 04	3 30
Preston East Dome	3 07	3 10
Senator Rouyn	46	47
Sherritt-Gordon	70	71
Sheep Creek	86	82
Siscoe	8 75	8 50
Siscoe	53	57
Sladen Malartic	53	54
Steep Rock	2 00	2 10
Sudbury Basin	2 15	2 25
Sullivan	1 40	1 50
Sylvanite	1 88	2 00
Teck-Hughes	3 00	3 10
Toburn	70	80
Upper Canada	1 45	1 47
Ventures	6 10	6 09
Waite Amulet	4 85	5 00
Wright-Hargreaves	3 65	4 10

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

(Hagar Investments, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Associated Breweries	20	21
Bathurst "A"	12	
Bell Telephone	155	156
Brazilian Traction	22	22¼
B A Oil	20¼	21
B C Power "A"		25¼
Can Car & Foundry	8	8¼
Can. Car & Fdry. Pfd. (old)	27	28
Can Car & Fdry. Pfd. (new)	24½	
Can Steamships	10	
Can Steamships Pfd	30½	32
Can Canners "A"	92½	23
Can Canners "B"	11	10
Can Celanese		34
Canadian Cycle Battery	8	9
Consolidated Paper	4	4
Consolidated Smelters	40	
Distillers Seagrams	35¼	36
Dominion Bridge		27
Dominion Steel & Coal "B"	7	8
Ford of Canada "A"	23	23
Gatineau		6
Gatineau Pfd	80	
Goodyear	65	61
Hiram Walker	57	8
Hiram Walker Pfd		21⅝
Imperial Oil	14¼	14¼
International Nickel	28¼	28
International Petroleum	21	1
Loblaw "A"	23¼	27
Loblaw "B"	21¼	21
McColl-Frontenac	7	8
McColl-Frontenac Pfd	103	104
Massey-Harris	7⅝	
Massey-Harris Pfd	10¼	10⅝
Montreal Power	18¼	10
National Breweries	37	38
National Steel Car (new)	13¼	10
Ogilvie	33	34
Shawinigan	14	14¼
Simpsons Pfd	109	104
Steel of Canada	61	62
Steel of Canada Pfd		73
United Steel	5⅝	4¼
George Westons, Com	14¼	1
George Westons, Pfd	106	

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Aluminium pfd	100	100
Beatty Bros "A"	23	23
Bell Telephone	156	[illegible]
B A Oil		21
B C Power "A"	22	25
Bralorne	11	
Brazilian Traction	22¼	22
Burlington Steel	9⅝	10
Canadian Celanese	32	34
C P R	8	8¼
Can Steamship pfd	31	32
Con Mining & Smelting	40	41
Famous Players	29	10
Ford of Canada "A"	23	2[illegible]
Gatineau Pwr 5% pfd	90	92
Imperial Oil	14	14
Imperial Tobacco	10⅝	11⅝
Int Metal Indus 6% pfd	97	98
Int Metal Indust "A"	14	15
Int Nickel	28⅝	28
Int Petroleum		21
Loblaw Groc "A"	22	23
Montreal L H & Pwr	18	18
Noranda	46	46⅝
Page Hersey Tubes	100	102
Shawinigan W & P	13	14¼
Steel of Canada	62	63
Hiram Walker G & W	57	58
Bank of Montreal	151	156
Royal Bank	156	
Can Bank of Commerce	130	133

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4% 1953	80 50	83 50
Alberta 6% 1955	82 50	85 25
British Columbia 4% 1957	118 50	
British Columbia 4½% 1953	120 50	
British Columbia 5% 1952	113 50	
Manitoba 5% 1950	114 00	115 50
New Brunswick 4½% 1961	118 50	122 50
Nova Scotia 4½% 1960	118 50	110 50
Ontario 4½% 1958	108 00	110 50
Quebec 4½% 1958	108 50	110 50
Saskatchewan 4½% 1951	101 50	
Saskatchewan 5% 1952	98 50	102 50
Saskatchewan 6% 1953	101 00	

Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER, Nov. 23 (CP) — Trading totaled 6,375 shares on Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Oils remained unchanged.

[illegible] 1-2 and Calmont to 23. Anglo-Canadian climbed 1 to 65.

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

OILS	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	.04½	05
Anglo Canadian		65
A C Consolidated	13	14
C. & E. Corporation	1 90	1 98
Calmont	.23	23
Commoil		23
Commonwealth		31
Dalhousie	.31	
Eastcrest	.09	
Foothills		1 35
Home Oil	3 20	3 30
Madison	.08	03½
Mercury	.03	03
McDougall Segur	.07	08½
Mill City	08	
Model	.20	23
National Pete	08	
Okalta	87	90
Pacalta	04	
Pacific Pete	36	47
Royal Canadian	03½	04
Royalite	18 00	21 00
United Oil		07
Vanalta	.07½	08
Vulcan	30	
MINES		
Bayonne Consolidated	03	04
Bralorne	11 20	11 50
Cariboo Gold	1 41	
Golconda		04
Gold Belt	10	20
Grandview	.10	
Grull Wihksne	03	03½
Hedley Mascot	32	
Island Mountain	82	85
Kootenay Belle	30	
Pend Oreille	1 44	
Pioneer	2 05	
Premier Border	03	03½
Premier	1 00	1 04
Privateer	31	
Quatsino Copper	03½	03
Reeves McDonald	30	30
Reno	03	04
Sheep Creek	88	90
Silbak Premier	30	
Surf Inlet	05	
Taylor Bridge	04	05
Whitewater	03	.08
Ymir Yankee Gold	03½	
MISCELLANEOUS		
Capital Estates	2 70	8 00
Coast Breweries	1 53	1 60
United Distillers	2 50	

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, Nov. 23 (CP).—Montreal Power and Shawinigan dropped on today's market. Brazilian was ahead. C.P.R. was down in carriers.

Softer were St. Lawrence Corporation, Abitibi and Donnacona. Dominion Bridge moved up, and losers were Canadian Car, General Steel Car and Dredge.

International Petroleum hardened and Imperial Oil was easier. Royalite and Home were both in retreat.

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Canadian Investment Fund	3 05	
Canadian Bank of Commerce	130½	133
Dominion Bank of Canada		182
Imperial Bank of Canada	160	175
Bank of Montreal	150	157
Bank of Nova Scotia	242	243
Royal Bank of Canada	140	143
Bank of Toronto	225	
Abitibi Com	3¼	3¼
Abitibi Pfd	34¼	34¼
Acnew Surpass	11	13
Aluminum, Com.	96	97
Aluminum Pfd	100	100½
Asbestos Corporation	22	22½
Associated Breweries	20	21
Bathurst Paper	12	
Belding Corticelli	90	
Bell Telephone	155	156
Brazilian Traction	[illegible]	[illegible]
British-American Oil	[illegible]	[illegible]
B.C. Packers	[illegible]	[illegible]
B.C. Power A	[illegible]	[illegible]
Building Products	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bulolo Gold	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can Cement	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can I A Dom Sugar	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can Malting	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can Nor Power	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can Steamships, Com	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can Steamships, Pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can Car & Fdry Com	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can Car & Fdry Pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can Celanese, Com	22½	22
Can Converters	28	
Can General Electric	210	210
Can. Industrial Alcohol	8	9½
Can. Locomotive	10	
Can. Pacific Railway	8¼	8
Can Vickers	4¼	9
Cockshutt Plow	11½	12
Consolidated Bakeries	14⅝	10
Consolidated Paper	4¼	4½
Crown Cork	31	32
Dominion Bridge		[illegible]
Dominion Engineering		29
Dominion Steel & Coal	7½	8
Dominion Stores	6⅝	6¼
Dominion Tar & Chemical	7½	8
Dominion Textiles	73	74
Dryden Paper	6¼	7
Fairchild Aircraft	2½	3
Fleet Aircraft	3	3¼
Ford of Canada	23½	23¼
Gatineau Power		6
General Steelwares	10¼	10¼
Goodyear Tire	85	91
Graham Lime	6¼	
Hamilton Bridge	5	6¼
Howard Smith	13	10¼
Imperial Oil	14¼	14¼
Imperial Tobacco	11	11¼
International Bronze Powder	13	
International Nickel	28½	28⅝
International Petroleum	21	21¼
International Utilities "A"	17¼	
Lake of the Woods	31½	28
Laura Secord	10	13¼
Lablaw "A"	22½	23¼
Massey-Harris, Com	7⅝	
Massey-Harris, Pfd	10¼	10⅝
McColl-Frontenac, Com	7½	8
McColl-Frontenac, Pfd	103½	104½
Robert Mitchell	10	10½
Montreal Power	18⅝	10
National Breweries	34	35
National Steel Car	13¼	13
Ogilvie Flour Mills	23¼	24
Page Hersey	100	
Penmans, Ltd	45	50
Power Corporation	6¼	6¼
Price Bros	16¼	17
Quebec Power	12	
Shawinigan	14	14¼
Sherwin Williams	15½	16
South Can Power		10
St. Lawrence Corp, Pfd		11
Steel of Canada, Com	61	62
Steel of Canada, Pfd		73
Tooke Bros	1 50	
United Steel	4¼	
Walker Gooderham, Com	57	58
Walker Gooderham, Pfd		21¼
West Grocers	71	8
West Can Flour, Com	4	[illegible]
West Can Flour, Pfd	71	73
George Weston	13	15¼
Winnipeg Electric, Com	5	5¼
Winnipeg Electric, Pfd	51	53

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Canada	4½%	1944	102 75	103 75
	4½%	1949	105 75	106 75
	2½	1948	101 50	102 75
	4	1952	106 00	107 00
	4	1956	108 50	108 50
	4	1958	109 25	110 50
	3	1955	99 75	101 25
	3½	1966	102 00	103 20
	3	Perp	94 25	95 00
	3¼	1949	102 50	103 75
	3¼	1951	102 25	104 50
	3	1956	98 75	100 75
1st War Loan	2½	1952	104 00	105 00
2nd War Loan	3	1952	101 00	102 00
1st Victory Ln	3	1951	102 50	103 50
2nd Victory Ln	3	1954	101 00	102 30
3rd Victory Ln	3	1956	100 00	101 00
4th Victory Ln	3	1957	99 25	100 33
DOMINION GUARANTEES				
Can. Nat. Rly	4	1951	132 70	134 75
	4	1957	128 00	120 00
	4½	1955	130 00	131 25
	July 5	1969	117 00	118 00
	Oct 5	1969	127 00	128 50
	5	1954	117 00	118 50
	5	1953	100 50	101 50
	July 5	1969	127 00	129 50
	Oct 5	1954	117 00	118 50
	3	1944	100 33	101 50
	3	1950	101 50	102 00
	3	1956	99 00	100 25
Gr. Trunk Pac	3	1962	100 75	111 75
	4	1962	122 70	125 25

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5s		1953	[illegible]	[illegible]
Algoma Steel	5	1948	[illegible]	[illegible]
Asso. Tel & Tel		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
B.C. Pulp		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brown Co.	5	1959	[illegible]	[illegible]
Calgary Power		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canada Cement		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can I A Dom Sugar		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canada Steamship		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
C.P.R.		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Can Vickers		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Famous Players		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gatineau Power		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Maple Leaf		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Massey Harris		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
McColl Frontenac		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Shawinigan		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Simpsons Ltd		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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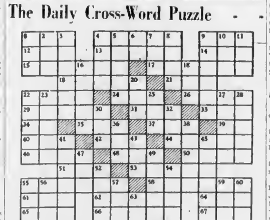
The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

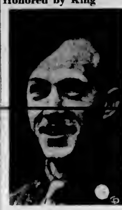


ACROSS
1. Indian moccasin
4. Leather foot covering (pl.)
8. Juice of plants
12. A Negro people of Nigeria
13. Heated bread
14. Cravat.
15. Plaited straw for making hats.
17. Swords
19. Tends
21. Babylonian god
22. Liquid food dish
24. Part of mouth.
26. Sharp to taste
29. Mark of omission
31. Cushion.
33. Fish eggs
34. While
35. The sun
37. Form of "to be"
39. The soul in Egyptian religion.
40. A short-napped fabric
42. But
44. Rounded roofs.
46. A stopple
48. The peak.
50. A supernatural personage
51. Kitchen utensil.
53. Moving part of a motor
55. A vessel for carrying garbage to sea.
58. To boil slowly.
61. Anger.
62. One who drinks heavily
64. A Western Indian
65. A weight of India
66. To look at intently.
67. To knock

DOWN
1. Dance step
2. Land measure
3. To agree.
4. To agitate.
5. An inn.
6. On account (abbr.)
7. A worm.
8. To plunge a sharp instrument into
9. Pertaining to a pillar
10. Atmosphere
11. A footlike part
16. Back of neck (pl.)
18. To wager
20. To drink slowly
22. A steep declivity
23. Like an oasis.
25. Animal's foot.
27. Outer garments.
28. To tantalize
30. Child's plaything
32. Child for "father"
36. To rent
38. Wicked Biblical city
41. Evening meal.
43. Rocky crag
45. A low, indistinct sound
47. Breach
49. Difficult question
52. Seines
54. To weary.
55. Possessive pronoun
56. Native metallic compound
57. To decay.
59. Greek letter.
60. Corded cloth.
63. Native village in New Zealand.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Honored by King



GEORGE FERRELL

American technical sergeant of the U.S.A.A.F., smiles proudly after receiving the Distinguished Flying Medal, which King George personally pinned on him at Buckingham Palace. Ferrell, while serving with the R.C.A.F., stuck by his guns after his turret was shot away.

Wheat Stocks Show Decrease

OTTAWA, Nov. 23 (CP).—Stocks of Canadian wheat in store or in transit in North America at midnight, November 18, totaled 363,786,183 bushels, including 346,169,076 bushels in Canadian positions and 18,617,107 in United States positions, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics said today. On the corresponding date last year visible stocks totaled 452,901,084 bushels.

Farmers in Western Canada delivered 8,200,850 bushels of wheat from farms during the week ended November 18, compared with 8,790,196 in the previous week. During the elapsed portion of the crop year, which began August 1, marketings totaled 75,817,745 bushels, compared with 108,759,306 in the same period of 1942-43.

The following amounts of coarse grains were also delivered from Western farms during the week ended November 18 (totals for the previous week in brackets): oats, 1,412,879 (1,550,973); barley, 1,100,904 (1,169,801); rye, 15,355 (14,696); flaxseed, 16,738 (127,003).

Dominion Bank Profit Steady

TORONTO, Nov. 23 (CP).—The Dominion Bank reports a profit of $914,249 for the fiscal year ended October 31, 1943, after all deductions, compared with $929,991 in the previous year.

After distributing dividends at the rate of 8 per cent, a total of $560,000, writing off $150,000 on bank premises and contributing $105,000 to the officers' pension fund, the balance of earnings was added to profit and loss account, increasing the credit from $868,502 as of October 31, 1942, to $965,751 as of October 31, 1943. Dominion taxes absorbed $439,019. Capital of $7,000,000 and reserve of $7,000,000 remain unchanged.

The bank's statement shows an increase of assets of more than $11,000,000 to about $224,000,000. The liquid position continues strong; deposits are greater and commercial loans are lower.

Total deposits of $187,718,577 compare with $184,639,772 a year ago. The bank's investment securities total $104,767,145, a gain of $17,506,293 from a year ago.

Dividends Declared

Dividends declared yesterday included:

Algoma Steel Corporation, Limited, preferred, $2.50, payable January 1 to holders of record December 1.

North Star Oil, Limited preferred, 8 3-4 cents, payable January 2 to shareholders of record December 6.

International Metal Industries, Limited, Class "A," 25 cents payable January 3 to shareholders of record December 10; preferred $1.50 and "A" preferred $1.50 both payable February 1 to shareholders of record June 19.

Distillers Corporation Seagrams, Limited, 55 1-2 cents, payable December 15 to shareholders of record December 1, preferred, $1.25, payable in United States funds, February 1, to shareholders of record January 15.

Ford Motor Class "A" and "B," 25 cents payable December 21 to shareholders of record December 2.

What Today Means

SAGITTARIUS

If November 24 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 8:15 to 11:15 a.m., from 1:15 to 2:15 p.m. and from 7:15 to 8:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 7:15 to 8:15 a.m., from 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. and from 9:15 to 11:15 p.m.

The average person may be primarily concerned with making plans for tomorrow — Thanksgiving Day—so this will not be a very auspicious time to approach them on any subject that is deserving of thoughtful consideration and a prompt decision. It will be advisable to wait until the festive day is past and the ability to concentrate on what you have to say is no longer one of human nature's negligible qualities. Do not wait until the last minute today to attend to your own personal requirements for tomorrow, for with every kind of existing shortages many last-minute shoppers may suffer some very keen disappointments. This is a good day to remember that "the early bird catches the worm," and the late one is often destined to go hungry. Married and engaged couples, and those who are enthusiastically in love, will find their dispositions will have an all-important bearing on whether this is going to be a thoroughly satisfactory or disappointing day for them, so it behooves everyone to strive to maintain a spirit from which will emanate amiability and cheerfulness.

If a woman and November 24 is your birthday, you ought to be very good at appraising people at their real worth. Where love and devotion is concerned, you must at all times strive to give as much as you wish to receive, and never expect anyone to take yours for granted. You may not be very demonstrative, so it may be necessary for you to make the effort to convince those near and dear to you that you really have a great depth of affection for them. As a social welfare worker, missionary, business manager, designer, instructor, musician, writer, singer, actress, demonstrator, accountant, trained nurse, artist, or as one of the women doing their bit to preserve their country's democratic ideals, you should find yourself, sooner or later, in a very enviable position with an unlimited earning power. There is, apparently, no reason why your selection of a life-time partner should not prove to be a very wise and happy choice.

The child born on November 24 must not be tied to its mother's apron strings if it is to know the happiness of a perfectly normal childhood. There can be no greater mistake made nor any greater injustice perpetrated on the child than for parents to bring it up with an exaggerated idea of itself and its family's social position. Success will crown this youngster's mature efforts if it learns to go through life making friends and doing things in an unaffected, natural manner.

If a man and November 24 is your natal day, you probably win the confidence of people by saying whatever you have to say in a straight-forward manner. In many ways you are likely to demonstrate your firm belief that "honesty is the best policy." As a theatrical man, promoter, accountant, commercial photographer, publicity expert, author, journalist, manufacturer, merchant, financier, business executive, lawyer, doctor, politician, or through activity in the army, navy or air force, great success should reward your efforts.

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

That Body of Yours

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

DIET IN COLITIS
IRRITABLE SPASTIC BOWEL

Now that it is known that colitis—spastic colon, irritable bowel—is due in the great majority of cases to nervousness and emotional disturbances, the treatment is having the patient try to develop calmness of spirit and get as much mental and physical rest as possible. Sometimes a quieting drug is necessary. While there is no question but that this is the most important part of the treatment, as calmness of spirit affects all the organs and processes of the body, nevertheless the other half of the treatment—diet—must not be forgotten if the best results are to be obtained.

In the Oklahoma Medical Journal, Dr. T. Bynum states that the outlook for improvement in spastic colon is definitely good if it is treated patiently and persistently. Both food and medicine that enter the stomach and intestine of patients with irritable colon should be of a nonirritating and soothing type. At the beginning of treatment a bland, smooth diet is used. Diet is built around the use of eggs, meats, fish, fowl, shellfish, soups, milk, buttermilk, cheese, "white" cereals (rice, farina, cream of wheat), white breads, white crackers, macaroni or spaghetti, sponge cake, angel foods, custards, puddings (such as rice or corn starch), gelatins, potatoes, bananas, avocado pear, fruit juices, tea, coffee and cocoa.

Coarse breads, rough vegetables such as cabbage, lettuce, celery, because of their roughage (cellulose) and fruits because of their seeds, are not permitted. Syrup, fudge sauces, heavy frostings on cakes and candies are avoided because of their tendency to increase fermentation; nuts, spices, condiments and pickles are forbidden.

However, if nothing but bland foods are eaten, there may not be enough mass or weight to push against the sides of the intestine and cause it to squeeze against and push the waste in the bowel onward, and constipation may result. To avoid this the suggestion is that some substance that is bulky cannot be absorbed, and without food value be used such as agar or one of the inviting preparations now available in drug stores. These bulky substances, in addition to stimulating the muscles of the lower bowel, retain their moisture and keep the stool soft but formed.

The point then is that in addition to having the patient acquire calmness, the diet is next in importance.

PORTSMOUTH, England (CP) — Six "old-timer" craftsmen employed in an army workshop here have a combined ages total of 399 years. The oldest is 70 and the youngest 60.

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Glancing Over Sport—

By JOE DELAHUNTY

THE DAY'S ROUNDUP

Remember, young Billy McGill, who cut up many divots at the old Macaulay Point course when that layout was in the land of the living? Well, Billy entered a tournament not so long ago in Scotland and the committee-in-charge gave him a 14 handicap after he had told them he had played to a four in Canada. The former local shoemaker won the event by nine strokes and he hadn't touched a stick for months . . . Alex "Scotty" Stewart, one of the finest forwards in Victoria soccer circles, will be playing for Victoria Machinery Depot from now on. "Scotty" is back to his old form and will most likely be holding down the inside position for Manager Jack McColl's lads . . . There is still a possibility that Jimmy Spencer and Trey Harvey, two of the amateur footballers in the Dominion, will be over here playing for the shipbuilders in the near future. By the way, Trey was over here last week with his bride, so congratulations, Mr. Harvey, from this department . . . My old friend, Mike Hamberton, who played for the Washington State football team, plans a few years ago, is hoping to get back into the game next season here as a coach, for the simple reason he lives in the same and spare bedroom . . . For the benefit of a local hockey fan who is eager to know the finishing of the Victoria Cubs hockey team back in the last playing days of the old Willows Arena, here's the dope on the squad: Robertson, Borland, Redpath, Kenny, O'Meara, Evans, Kelly, Dowsie, Leacock and H. Runge. Remember that bunch, you hockey fans?

ODDS AND ENDS

Hockey fans are wondering why Chuck Rayner wasn't playing between the pipes for the Navy the other night at New Westminster against St. Regis. Rutherford donned the armour for the evening and I understand Dan Telfer is a smart goal tender and nearly as good as the former New York Americans and Brooklyn professional. In that case a person can't blame Rutherford for the sailors but blame Telfer for the score tied at center ice. The Esquimalt shipyards are capable of more scoring punch than that but some tainty results can be poured to hockey as well as any other sport . . . Tribe two for idea also are charged with being pipes are either connected with the N.H.L. this ranking "amateur" rinks or some minor league teams, but this remains to be seen when it is announced publicly. The last mentioned are Canadian boys who are supposed to be signed trying to press the border . . . Coach Buck Killam, of the Navy ball team, is leaving this Friday for the East to take an advance course. He will take in two hockey games next week one in Toronto and the other in Montreal. Buck will be seeing the Detroit Red Wings against the Leafs and also taking in the Boston Bruins game . . . The Philadelphia club in the National Baseball League has an entire lining. You tender Bill Cox, millionaire owner of the team was ousted from organized baseball by Judge Landis for gambling on games during the last campaign. Cox admitted to the commissioner that he bet anywhere from $10 to $100 on the games. The Philly owner knew the rules as laid down by the major-league officials so he has no one to blame for being tossed out of organized ball, probably for all time. One thing about Landis he plays no favorites in handing down decisions and he gives out no suspended sentences, so Mr. Cox is through for good.

FROM HERE AND THERE

And, speaking of hockey, just take a gander at the line-up of the Montreal RCAF team which is competing in the Quebec Senior League and file the name away for future reference—around about the time the Allan Cup play-offs get under way next Spring will be soon enough to remember it. Boston in their first start by the Commandos in Ottawa, the Flyers received the tables in Montreal the next time out. All Hewes does starting time-up for the last game. Leg. Fraser goal who had a trench with the Canadiens last season, Jack Stewart who as a member of the Red Wings, was the best rearguard in the N.H.L. last winter and Bobby formerly of the Toronto Maple Leafs, Bill Ahel, centre of the Red Wings in 1942-43. Pat McCready, another ex-Red Wing right wing, and Harry Watson, still another former Detroit player, at left wing. Rounding out the team were other such experienced pros as Brennan, Mondell, Morin, Bennett and Grubb.

With my first choice, Theodore Daggett, disbanded, that Montreal club will certainly be hard to put out of the cup eliminations once they get under way . . . Manager Alex Ross, Navy ice squad told me yesterday that the bluejacket were just too fast in the Royal City and checked the hosts to death. "Percy Jackson was undoubtedly his night. That club will have to be watched for the rest of the season Alex said which underestimates them as foolish. Rutherford turned in a grand game in goal as nobody can blame him for the Navy not winning. It will probably do no more good than anything else," stated Ross as he hopped aboard his bus for the barracks. Do you know that when the Boston Red Sox sold "Babe" Ruth to the New York Yankees it really sold the Manhattan team $100,000 and not $100,000 as most baseball fans still think to this day?

Cox Barred From Baseball for Life

Owner of Phillies Admits Betting On Games—Landis Acts Quickly

By CHARLES DUNKLEY
Associated Press Sport Writer

CHICAGO, Nov. 23 (AP)—In the most drastic action of his 22-year reign, Kenesaw Mountain Landis, commissioner of baseball, today barred William D. Cox, president of the Philadelphia Phillies, from baseball for life for gambling on games in which his club was involved.

Landis ruled Cox was "permanently ineligible to hold a baseball office hereafter, either in the major or minor leagues.

After the matter had been announced, directors of the Phillies meeting in Philadelphia elected a 27-year-old former Duke football player, Robert R. M. Carpenter, of Wilmington, Del., president, succeeding Cox. Carpenter's father, an executive of the E. I. Dupont de Nemours & Company, purchased all of Cox's stock, the exact amount of which was not revealed.

Landis stated Cox had resigned as president and director of the Phillies three days after the commissioner had ordered him to appear at a formal hearing on charges against him in Pittsburgh next week.

Cox refused to attend the scheduled meeting, writing Landis that he had "decided to devote all of my time to my lumber business, essential to the war effort."

Cox, Landis said, after first asserting that "any allegations" he had bet on games "were ridiculous" admitted to Landis in New York on November 3 and later in Chicago that he had placed through a bookmaker approximately $5 to $10 bets of from $25 to $100 a game on Philadelphia to win, but that he had discontinued the wagering about May 30 when he learned of the rule prohibiting such betting by persons having connection with the sport.

Landis' statement further said that Cox continually refused to give him a "full statement" on his betting activities, and had maintained that "inasmuch as I have resigned, I do not see any useful purpose would be served by my attending any hearing before you."

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23 (AP)—Rusty, 28-year-old Robert R. M. Carpenter, Jr., Wilmington, Del., socialite-sportsman, was named president of the National League Phillies today, youngest man in baseball's history to head a major league club.

The prospects were, too, that his tenure in office might be among history's shortest.

The former Duke University football star is 1-A in the draft, and expects induction in January.

Carpenter was granted a stay of induction some time ago to wind up his affairs in Delaware sports projects.

"The way things look now," he said, "Uncle Sam will be having me after January, and it's impossible to say whether I will run the club or not."

Carpenter is president and part owner of the Wilmington Blue Rocks of the Class B Interstate League and owns an interest in the Wilmington Bombers, of the American Legion-sponsored Baseball League. He also has an interest in the Wilmington Bowling Club. Big percussion outfit could has been manager of Lou Rocco, and Al Tribouni Wilmington lightw.

Girl 13, Boots Home Winner at Rockingham

In a Special Race for Girl Riders, June Reardon, 13, Boosted Home Double Bill at Rockingham Park, N.H. It Was the First Time in New England Racing That Amateur Girl Riders Had Participated. The Programme Was for War Relief. Double B Paid $9.80. Second Horse Is Meadow Dew, Favorite

Boston Ice Team Sets Back Leafs

Bruins Take Free-Scoring Fixture From Toronto—Games on Thursday

LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L	D	Goals F.	Goals A.	Pts.
Canadiens	8	2	2	47	18	16
Chicago	5	4	2	38	35	12
Detroit	4	2	2	36	23	12
Toronto	4	3	2	40	45	10
Boston	2	4	2	45	45	6
Rangers	0	9	0	23	50	0

Last Night's Scores:
Boston 6, Toronto 3.

Next Games:
Thursday—Rangers at Boston; Detroit at Chicago.
Saturday—Rangers at Canadiens; Boston at Toronto.

BOSTON, Nov. 23 (CP)—Rebounding from Sunday's 13-4 drubbing in Montreal, the mere humiliation, back in their 20 National Hockey League seasons, Boston Bruins outskated Toronto Maple Leafs for an 8-5 victory tonight before a 10,000 crowd at Boston Garden.

Veteran Busty Bill, in his first game of the season started the Bruins off on the right foot early in the opening period when he scored without assistance.

Such assisted Bruins operators as Bartlett, Bouchard, Cowley and Herb Cain were on hand to help the Bruins' feat that early in the game drew two purses through Goalie Frank Brimsek. Brimsek's ability was provided by Don Gallinger.

Although Bert Gardiner, the Bruins' coach, was other here, Gallinger was the Bruins' mainstay.

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Rookie Ted Kennedy became the Bruins' fourth scoring teammate Mel Gladden Deadly Hill's rebound with less than eight minutes remaining.

LINE-UPS

Toronto—Grant, Morris, Pratt, Bodner, Carr, Davidson, Subic Medonald, Hill, Kennedy, Ingoldsby, Jackson, Hamilton, Boothman, Wright.

Boston—Gardiner, Clapper, Holbel, Cowley, Bell, A. Jackson, Subic; Gallinger, Goodfellow, Cain, Crawford, Wilkinson, H. Jackson, Chalmers, Schereta.

Referee—Bill Chadwick. Linesmen—Bill Cleary and Ag Smith.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Boston, Bell, 3 ft.; 2, Boston, H. Jackson (Crawford, Chalmers), 3:33. Penalties, Mc-Donald, Goldfolin.

Second Period—3, Boston, H. Jackson (Chalmers), 12:23. 4, Toronto, Carr (Pratt, Davidson), 18 04. 5, Toronto, Pratt (Bodner), 17:06. 6, Boston, Cain (Gallinger, Goldfolin), 17:32. 7, Toronto, Hamilton (Pratt), 18:35. 8, Boston, Cowley (Bell), 19:34.

Third Period—8, Boston, Cowley, 9:26. 10, Boston, Gallinger (Goldfolin), 10:20. 11, Toronto, Kennedy (Hill, Boothman), 12:01. 12, Boston, Cain, 16:50. 13, Toronto, Ingoldsby (Pratt, Hamilton), 18:22.

Bombers to Face Rival Grid Squad

Canadian Final Is Set for Saturday

WINNIPEG, Nov. 23 (CP)—Winnipeg Blue Bombers, Western Canada Rugby football champions, today turned down an invitation to participate in a post-season war charity game with Halifax Navy in Toronto December 4, providing they win the Dominion title Saturday from Hamilton Wildcats.

The Bombers play the Wildcats for the Grey Cup, emblematic of Canada's senior Rugby championship, in the annual East-West game in Toronto's Varsity Stadium.

The game with the Halifax team, which boasts many star Canadian player was rejected last night by Controller Fred Hamilton of Toronto. The Halifax team applied to the Canadian Rugby Union for permission to compete in the 1943 Dominion gridiron this season, but were refused.

In announcing the Winnipeg team's decision to refuse the bid an RCAF spokesman said that trainees would not permit Bomber players to join in north a game.

For such a game it would be necessary to keep the team in Toronto a week after the Grey Cup final with Hamilton and that is impossible, he said.

The team still definitely returns to Winnipeg following the championship game.

Earlier today officials of the Hamilton club said they would be willing to appear in the Bombers in a charity game if they were successful in Saturday's clash, but they could not agree to play a game in Toronto.

Meanwhile Rex Theriault leading ball-throwing in a Canadian Rugby game, was named most valuable player in last weekend's Western Rugby Conference.

Two-to-Injuries

Jockey Longden Rides Home Four Firsts in South

SAN MATEO Calif., Nov. 23 (AP)—Veteran Jockey John Longden of England had a field day at Bay Meadows track today when he rode four winners including the feature item on horses owned by his father-in-law, A. C. Tatt, Canadian sportsman.

Longden, weighed at 110 pounds, piloted Battery to a length-and-a-half victory in the main event, a one-mile run which was timed in 1:40. However at the odds-on favorite paid $2.80, $2.40 and $2.10. The Fox took second paying $2.10 and $2.40 and Miami Springs was third, returning $2.70.

Longden also in the wire first with Peruke in the 8th race, Valdina Rio in the fourth, and Agenor in the fifth.

Williams Is Named Head

Re-elected Golf President Again

R. P. Bob Williams was re-elected president of the Uplands Golf Club at the annual meeting held in the clubhouse during last week. It marks the second successive year that the presidency will be left in the hands of one of the most popular members at the course. Jim Pearson was named vice-president and Fred Smith was the choice for the captaincy. Russell Ard is the new vice-captain.

The following committees were chosen by the meeting to act during the ensuing year: Finance R. B. Matthews, C. E. Beerenwald and G. Patterson. House, C. P. Smith, E. Beerenwald and R. Ard; motors, Fred Smith, R. Ard and J. W. Kempton; Publicity, Pearson and J. W. Kempton; entertainment, Fred Smith, R. Ard and J. W. Kempton; membership, R. Ard, R. Matthews, G. Patterson, C. P. Smith, J. D. Ferguson and Fred Smith; utilization, two-year terms and the following will be in power for one year: R. P. Williams, R. Ard, E. Beerenwald, J. W. Kempton and C. E. Beerenwald.

Undefeated Clubs Meet

Red Hots and Army To Battle Tonight

Two undefeated basketball squads tangle tonight at the Victoria High School gymnasium when Army and Red Hots meet in the feature attraction of a three-game programme. The senior "B" circuit is proving one of the strongest and classiest seen in years, and both teams have raced through all opposition in earlier contests.

Red Hots are banking on Joe Bryant, their high-scoring forward, to bring home the bacon in tonight's important clash, while the Army boast of three big guns in Jack Sparks, Gordon Hartley and Mickey Berry, colours flash from Toronto.

Tonight's card will kick round out the hoop card at the Fernwood Road gymnasium, and at the YMCA four minor league squads will see action. Complete card follows:

Hillside School Gymnasium
7:00—Kiwanis Oak Bay intermediate B boys.
8:00—Sea Cadets Corps vs. Cordova Bay intermediate "B" boys.
9:00—Red Hots vs. Army, senior B boys.

YMCA Gymnasium—
7:00—St. Louis College vs. K.V.S. junior boys.
8:30—K.V.S. vs. St. Louis College, junior boys.

Dog Show to Be Held December 8

Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers' Association will hold its annual all-breed dog show in the Crystal Garden on December 8. This will be an all day fun-judging starting at 10 o'clock in the morning and continuing throughout the day. Entry forms are now in the mail.

Three popular judges will officiate during the day, and it is expected that a large entry will be received from all people interested in dog shows. Anyone not receiving entry forms and information will be welcomed.

Veals at $36.00 or the secretary, at 1170 Gladstone Avenue, Victoria, B.C.

The following group specials will be compered for: Best sporting, best working, best terrier, best non-sporting, best toy, best sporting hound, best Canadian-bred best puppy in show and best in show.

SEEKING CAGE TEAMS

A 16 Merchants of Christ Church Cathedral association basketball team is endeavoring to form a church basketball league and another attempt is to be made to organize a senior team at the Memorial Hall gymnasium the evenings.

R.A.F. Will Meet Army

Idle last week, Royal Air Force footballers will return to action this week when they oppose the Army platoon at Saturday's Garrison Cup match at Royal Athletic Park in the only fixture on the senior soccer programme. Game time will be 2:30 o'clock.

Old Country footballers dropped a 3-1 decision to the Army in their last performance, and the Caledonia outfit will be out to take revenge in the win column at the expense of the "lurking" soldier soccer players. Two points back of the league leading YMCA lads, who will be idle this week, Army will go into a first-place tie if they take the measure of the lads in khaki.

According to reports from Patricia Bay the RAF lads were given quite a going-over Sunday by their rivals at the hands of the Bluejackets, and it will be a tough game on Saturday's match against the Army.

Three Second Division fixtures are ranged for Saturday, the first game being as follows:

Beacons of Varsity, Hywood Avenue and Fort Gladstone.

Boy Scouts, Tolmie, Admiralty Road, relieve Boys.

Army vs. RAF, Hudson Park, Fairfield Road.

All games are set for 2:30 o'clock.

Alberta League Will Open Soon

CALGARY, Nov. 23 (CP)—With the opening of Alberta Senior Senior Hockey League less than four weeks away the setting sands at all clear today. Carrie Army and Red Deer, of Calgary have strong teams ready for the opening game and Calgary's Navy team is looking better every day. But the withdrawal of RCAF Medicine Hat leaves a problem.

Mountaineers are being asked to turn in the senior hockey setting but the chevrons are slim. Pilots the return of the airmen Calgary officials are willing to accept the chevrons, have said they would play.

But the Bluff, said at the team to offer strong opposition this season, officials said, the intermediates would sent permission to use players from the Calgary Commando team for the duration of the season. Army has an airman being allowed to play, but Calgary and RCAF teams.

Stolen Motorcycle Found at Banff

Reported stolen in Victoria on September 2 the motorcycle was found way back from Banff today but has undergone no damage.

According to a report filed at city police headquarters the abandoned machine was found by RCMP officers upon the railway station at Banff. They have been asked to join the case in Victoria.

Subsequent with the report of the finding of the motorcycle is news of the arrest by Banff police of a juvenile who will face a theft charge. The lad, police reported, admitted taking the machine and "dinst it to Banff where he abandoned it by the railway station.

PRIMO CARNERA ON SPOT?

ON THE SWISS-ITALIAN FRONTIER, Nov. 23 (AP)—A report published abroad that Primo Carnera was captured by the Germans in occupied territory in Italy during August caused a hoot of laughter at this frontier post, where it was learned that the former heavyweight champion's vaudeville club had postponed a visit to Como because of his "indisposition."

Primo was gave up boxing for wrestling and then did bit parts in Italian films and more recently has organized his own vaudeville company. He was scheduled to play at Como beginning yesterday.

Bay Meadows Racing

BAY MEADOWS, No. 23 Results here today follow:

FIRST RACE—Mile
Race Track (Entered): 1:40.0 A. J. Jr. Mission Boots (Valdez) 3.80 2.80 2.10
Time 1:41. Also ran: Ben Bond, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali.

SECOND RACE—Mile (Claiming)
Oakland Beach (Salem) $2.80 $2.40 $2.10
Oakland Beach (Salem) 3.70 3.00
Time 1:41. Also ran: Jupiter Jr., Jupiter Jr., Jupiter Jr., Jupiter Jr., Jupiter Jr.

THIRD RACE—Mile (Claiming)
Time 1:41. Also ran: Ben Bond, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali.

FOURTH RACE—Mile (Claiming)
Time 1:41. Also ran: Ben Bond, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali.

FIFTH RACE—Mile (Claiming)
Time 1:41. Also ran: Ben Bond, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali.

SIXTH RACE—Mile (Claiming)
Time 1:41. Also ran: Ben Bond, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile (Claiming)
Time 1:41. Also ran: Ben Bond, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile (Claiming)
Time 1:41. Also ran: Ben Bond, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Mile
Time 1:41. Also ran: Ben Bond, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali, Ben Ali.

Coaching the Saints

Amateur Hockey Scores

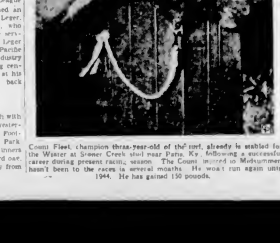
By The Canadian Press

B.H.A. HIGHLIGHTS

Thursday, Marlboros 2, Toronto Young Rangers 1.

Friday, Toronto Shamrocks 6, Toronto Pros 2. Toronto Olympics 3, Hamilton 7, Brantford 0.

Thinking of the '44 Races Now



Comet Fleet, champion three-year-old of the year, already is slated for the Winter at Sunny Creek that near Paris, Ky., following a successful career during present racing season. The Comet colt, owned in Midsummer, hasn't been to the races in several months. His weak run again until 1944. He has gained 150 pounds.

Patrick Signs Up Young Star

NEW YORK, Nov. 23 (AP)—New York Rangers club have just their first junior hockey League signing as the club today signed an amateur defenceman, Roger Leger, 20-year-old Montreal hockey star who has been rejected by military service in Canada. Last season Leger played for the Canadian Parole club in the Montreal War Industry League. Alvine Fraser young centre, was released by Rangers at his own request because of a back injury.

JUVENILE FOOTBALL

Mount Douglas came through with a 2-1 victory over Oak Bay junior gas afternoon in the Juvenile Football League at the Athletic Park. Ellis Hall tallied twice for the winners and Shillings notched the third and only Shillings saved Oak Bay from a blanking.

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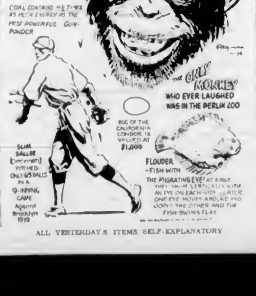

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H.B.C. FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Rabbits—B Clynick, 476 D Cosgrove, 403 A. Binns, 472, J Rhodes, 452, H Halliday, 443 handicap, 768. Total, 3,004.

Possums—C Walton, 611 Mrs. Walton, 317, Mr Carson, 481, R Smith, 423, O. Carson, 606 handicap, 415. Total, 3,353.

Possums won three.

Wolves—W Hardwick, 573 Mrs Evenden, 472 E Horne 459, L Evenden, 524, low score, 488 handicap 436 Total, 2,838.

Seals—C. Hastings 367, L. Simmons, 391 R Campion, 467, handicap, 1,177 Total, 2,841

Wolves won two.

Racoons—B Atkinson, 636 B McNicol, 255 M Williams, 324 O Hulca, 384 C. Bend 432 handicap, 604 Total, 2,998

Muskrats—C Nash, 417, V Ovraden, 313 low score, 473, B Lovell, 433 O Bruson, 450 handicap, 837 Total, 2,624.

Racoons won three

Otters—H Andrews, 460 Mrs Rain, 456. Miss Conger, 354 Mrs Pishu, 381 R. Rain, 569 handicap 845 Total, 3,064

Squirrels—B Atkins, 595 D Bell, 446 M Broadridge, 283 J—Chambers, 481 low score, 317 handicap, 738 Total, 2,387.

Squirrels won two

Silver Foxes—Mrs McGuire, 332; Mrs McLean, 346 K Nicholas, 386, J McLean, 504 H Pallatt, 567, handicap, 1,030 Total, 3,381

Minks—May Peden, 313 Norm Hogan, 575 Mary Frost, 419 Mary Heath, 471 George Wealt, 646, handicap, 763 Total, 3,107

Silver Foxes won two

V M D. FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Pipe shop—G. Vaillant, 353 P Hicks, 426, C. Hall, 313 J Hiverty, 187, M Porter, 295, V Powkes, 152 handicap, 299 Total, 1,735

Joiners and Painters—A Henry, 611 B Wheatcroft 410, J Dewley, 316 A Ash, 469 T Wormald, 637 Total 2,437

Joiners and Painters won three

Cranes—M Talbot, 660 M Panthorpe, 440, B Blanchard, 361, R Campbell, 458. low score, 337, handicap, 8 Total, 2,264.

Welders—M Grule, 540, G Swan, 306. V Rowes, 368 C Rowley, 378 B Frost, 639 R Katcheson, 124, handicap, 16. Total, 3,344

Cranes won two

Fitters—S Robinson, 610 A Holland, 330 B Work, 563. C Shillito, 638 B. Dousen, 665 E Gravelle, 44. Total, 3,661.

Reamers—H Jasland, 406. B Waterson, 393 D Bowles, 486 A Knowles, 448 low score, 373, handicap, 316. Total, 2,591.

Fitters won three

Plant One—J Briggs, 375, B Burnie, 547, R Greenwood, 256 J McConachie, 504 R Milne, 681 B Conway, 425, handicap d Total, 2,088

Rivelers—L. MacDonald, 494, B Barker, 331, M Taylor, 488 W Shouldise, 677, low score, 376 Total, 2,338

Plant One won two

Electricians—O Lewis, 604 H Little, 289 J McLellan, 674, L Buchanan, 335 H White, 501 J Hodgson, 335, handicap, 118 Total, 2,874

Caulkers—J Ford, 400, C Vanbereese, 336 B Boone, 611 B Barnswell 671 low score 412 Total, 2,830

Electricians won three

MIXED FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Merchants Transfer—Don McCaig, 630, E Allen, 485 J Brown, 561 D Allen 434, H Glen, 705 handicap, 162 Total, 3,097

Spruce Products—K Trevors, 606 S. Campbell, 498, C Trevors, 740 H Campbell 587 J Green, 594, handicap, 64 Total, 3,594

Spruce Products won two

Times—R Johnson, 344 W Peden 311, Mrs Peden 474, M Jealouse, 317 R Graham, 623, H Jealouse, 443, handicap, 279 Total, 2,774

Provincials—W G Ellis, 478 G. Bracken, 300 H Bracken, 390 C Ellis 250 G Leeming 36", handicap, 300 Total, 2,233

Times won three

Pippins—H Cowan 513 B Latham, 540. K Kahran, 350 H Latham 605 M Kokran, 545 M Cowan, 115, handicap, 301. Total 2,609

Wolves—J McGoman, 814 D Milne 797, L Paterson, 716 average, 560 average, 471 handicap, 51 Total, 3,919

Wolves won two

Dynamiters—M White 637 M Bent, 744 I Hughes 643 P North, 458 H. Butler 587 handicap, 24 Total 3,098

Victors—L. Macdonald 788 P Heath, 320 V Holt 362 E Holt 670 G Heath, 614 E Knudson, 353 handicap, 185 Total 3,183

Dynamiters won two

Gremlins—M Mills 587, F Ewing 390 A Jelley 445, G Jelley 619 D Ewing, 540 handicap 153 Total, 2,583

Industrial Painters—A Pyne 488 G Bridges, 336 H Corcoran 342 H Shearer, 436 C Mullin 420 A Hendry, 276, handicap 300 Total 2,818

Industrial Painters won two

W A C FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Lysanders—E L. Bennin 441 A C I London, 418 C Webb, 787 L A C Nicol, 468 Cpl Greene, 432 handicap, 336 Total, 2,754

Hurricanes—F S Beichel, 501 Sgt Warwick 461 Miss Cromwell 438 S Kendall, 456 W O 2 McNicol, 601, handicap 116 Total, 2,581

Hurricanes won [illegible]

Halifaxes—P O W E E[illegible] 407 Miss F James 312 L A C P Gentland 574 N O Barker Hatfield 339 L A C Alsonal, 503 handicap 378 Total 2,[illegible]

Lancasters—W O S G. Schwieder, 473 A S O MacInnes 437 Sgt MacDonald, 341 Sgt Hall, 514 A P O Michie, 433 handicap 336 Total, 2,304

Halifaxes won two

Defiants—P S Crea 458, Sgt Bennett 368 Cpl Durn, 510 L A C Berwick 516 F L. Stephens, 626 handicap, 126 Total, 2,885

Spitfires—P S Saunders, 385, A W I Hott 308 Miss Merriman 417 L A C Grubb, 410, L A C Bret 394 handicap 277 Total 2,[illegible]

Defiants won three

Beauforts—W [illegible] Anderson 499 Cpl Hone 364 L A [illegible] 411 [illegible] Wright 507 Cpl Barr[illegible] 4[illegible] handicap 181 Total 2,[illegible]

Liberators—M[illegible] Mars[illegible] M[illegible] 352 A C McPhee 364 L A C Pi[illegible] 382 Sgt Ellis 614 handicap, 387 Total, 2,578

Liberators won two

Bolingbrokes—F L Dyson 467 L A C Calderon 527 L A W Murray 390 Sgt Daniels 413 Cpl Hodgson, 457 handicap 361 Total, 2,613

Tomahawks—M Potherbridge 476 P Daisy 317 L A C Hannah 444 P S Mansell 384, F-L Porter 317 handicap, 261 Total, 2,278

Bolingbrokes won two.

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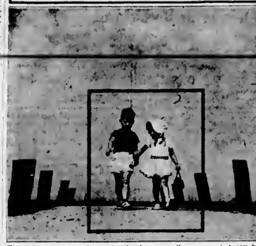

Through proper cropping and enlarging an ordinary snapshot can be made into an appealing, well composed picture.

EVERYONE realizes, I believe, that an enlargement is more impressive and more effective than a contact print. Whatever beauty or interest there may be in a small negative is brought out and emphasized, but merely making a print of greater size is not the only advantage of enlarging. Far from it. Enlarging provides a tremendous degree of pictorial control, and is an aid to more pleasing composition.

Furthermore by various steps known as masking dodging, printing in, and others it is even possible to make a good enlarged picture from a snapshot that's just barely satisfactory. Let me give you an outstanding example A camera hobbyist whom I know had been out making pictures of his two youngsters, but the results of the afternoon didn't live up to his expectations. Some of the shots were made as his little girl and boy were walking along a pier, and as far as the figures were concerned the snapshots were quite good. But along the sides of the dock were rows of dark pilings. Being heavier in tone, the eye was naturally led to those distracting objects making it difficult to keep one's attention on the essential theme of the picture.

A very simple method, however, considerably improved one of these snapshots. Superfluous space and details were masked off in enlarging, as shown in our illustration—and the real picture emerged — an attractive, appealing shot of a little girl and boy walking hand in hand.

And don't forget that such pictures are the kind that those in the Service like to receive frequently.

Try the same method with your snapshots It's often a startling revelation to go through a pile of contact prints, and find really worthwhile pictures within pictures, just by masking off the surplus parts.

I spoke above about "dodging." This is a control process used in enlarging, whereby you can darken some parts of a picture, and lighten other parts, to obtain a more satisfactory effect. Dodging is also useful when there are details in the negative which cannot be made to show in a contact print. Shadow portions can be held back, and brightly lighted areas printed deeply so all details that were present in the negative will be printed on the enlarging paper

Many amateurs of course do not have enlarging equipment, but if a photofinisher regularly makes your enlargements, you can still take advantage of certain control methods. For example you can take a contact print, outline just the part you wish to appear in the enlargement, and the finisher will use the marked print as a guide when the enlargement is made —John van Guilder.

LONDON (CP) — Royal Marine bandsmen, many of whom man gunnery control systems on warships, have won three D S M's, one B E M and 14 members have been mentioned in dispatches. Nearly 200 have lost their lives, including 17 bandmasters.

Army personnel stationed in crowded areas, particularly in the Atlantic Command, have been advised not to bring their families with them due to the acute housing shortages.

Move Sailors to Ease Congestion

HALIFAX, Nov 23 (CP) A Defence Department move to clear about 4,000 navy personnel out of Halifax's congested civilian accommodations was disclosed tonight.

Notices were posted in naval establishments here to the effect that single personnel living outside barracks on "lodging and compensation" should prepare to take up quarters in barracks The order, it was understood, applied to personnel from the rank of lieutenant down and was estimated to effect about 4,000 persons

Naval authorities here were silent on the proposed move but it was understood the order for the mass transfer had come from Ottawa

To Investigate Halifax Housing

OTTAWA Nov 23 (CP) An immediate investigation will be made of existing living conditions in Halifax including a census of inhabitants and a survey of all houses, hotels, restaurants and other buildings Munitions Minister Howe announced tonight

At the same time, Mr Howe appealed to Canadians in a press statement not to visit Halifax unless they are on essential business.

He said the investigation will be undertaken by E L Cousins wartime administrator of Atlantic ports who yesterday was given broad powers to relieve the city's congested housing situation — including power to prohibit entry into the city of those who have no war or business reasons for visiting there

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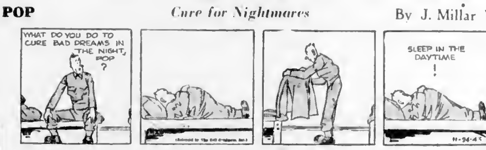

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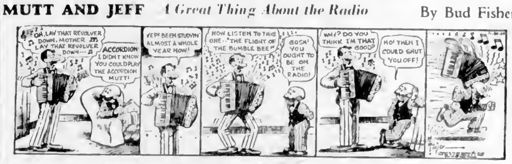

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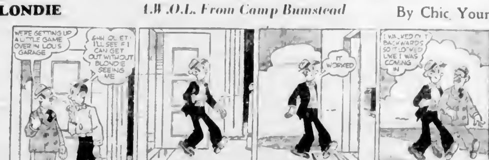

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Postwar Council Conference Ends

The Postwar Rehabilitation Council concluded its two-day session yesterday. The council reviewed the briefs and memoranda received during the year, and received reports from inter-departmental committees to which had been referred various projects and proposals for investigation.

No additional recommendations are being made at this time, the report already filed covering most of the subjects that were reviewed.

The chairman, Hon. H. O. T. Perry, was instructed to file an official copy of the council's report with the Turgeon Committee on Reconstruction at Ottawa.

It was proposed to hold the next meeting of the council in the early part of the session.

The problem of conversion of war industries received considerable attention by the council, but in view of the special Federal committee now investigating the conversion of war industries, it was felt their report should be received before further recommendations were made by the Postwar Council.

Victoria City's brief on postwar planning was discussed by the council on Monday, the first day of the session.

All members of the Rehabilitation Council attended the meetings.

Man Is Found Dead In Downtown Hotel

Frank Collison, 63, was found dead in a downtown hotel at 5.40 o'clock yesterday, according to a report filed with city police.

Dr. E. C. Hart, coroner who investigated, stated that death was from natural causes. No inquest will be held.

Deceased had been a guest at the hotel for the past two or three years, and as far as can be ascertained has no relatives in Victoria.

The body is at McCall's Funeral Parlors.

REMEMBRANCE BOOK

Each capital city in Canada has received a photostatic copy of the Book of Remembrance, which is in the Peace Tower at Ottawa, and Victoria's copy which has recently been received by the Lieutenant-Governor will be placed in the Legislative Library, by O. K. Morison, provincial librarian.

The names of 66,651 Canadians who were sacrificed in the war of 1914-18 are inscribed in the book.

Victorian Promoted

R.C.N. Photo

C.P.O. STANLEY PRICE FORD

Stanley Price Ford, 27, of Victoria, was promoted recently from petty officer to chief petty officer in the sick berth branch of the Royal Canadian Navy. He is serving at a West Coast base. Ford was born in Winnipeg and lived there until 1921. He attended Sir James Douglas School and Victoria High School, and was an apprentice pharmacist in Victoria before enlisting in the permanent navy in April, 1939. A brother, Herbert Ford, is a leading seaman in the R.C.N., serving as an instructor of new-entry ratings on the East Coast. C.P.O. Ford is a son of Mrs. A. R. Ford, 1238 Chapman Street, Victoria.

SKETCH CLUB

The Arts and Crafts Sketch Club will begin its weekly Winter session Monday afternoon in the clubrooms at Cook and Fort Streets.

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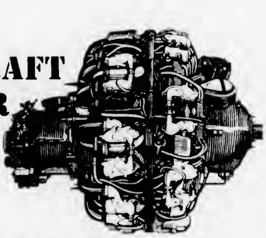

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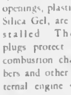

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Silica Gel to protect overseas shipments is another example of how Industrial Chemistry helps Canada's war effort

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Police Bonus Is Discussed

A request from the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Association for a full cost-of-living bonus retroactive to last January was tabled by the police commission yesterday afternoon when members decided to secure information on bonuses paid [illegible] ince.

Commissioner W. R. Davies successfully moved that the question be thoroughly discussed at the next regular meeting. He pointed out the cost of living was still soaring, despite price ceilings and other attempts to curb inflation.

Claude L. Harrison, city prosecutor, was granted leave of absence for the month of December. Mayor Andrew McGavin was asked to engage a suitable substitute barrister and solicitor.

A letter from the R.C.A.F. stated that venereal disease figures could not be made available to the commission. Another communication from the R.C.N. revealed that such information could be obtained, and the commission agreed to submit a number of questions.

"There were 13 houses of prostitution in operation when I was elected Mayor of the city. Later the total was reduced to five. Such places have been closed here for a long time," Mayor Andrew McGavin declared.

Commissioner Davies wanted to know if service police of the armed forces had made any arrests of females known to be prostitutes, and if the chief had received any requests for constables to accompany such officers. Chief J. A. McLellan could not recall having received any such requests.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY PROBLEM DISCUSSED

Commissioner Davies wanted to know if the chief had considered engaging policewomen to patrol dance halls and other places in an attempt to curb juvenile delinquency. He pointed out Seattle policewomen received college training in welfare and other problems, and that Vancouver had three such women for night duties.

Commissioner D. D. McTavish said he would like to see more constables engaged.

Chief McLellan stated it was extremely difficult to secure suitable constables, and it took five years to train a man.

Commissioner Davies suggested the chief curb roller skating on Michigan Street, between Menzies and Oswego Streets, when shipyard employees were driving to and from work.

Commissioner Davies asserted that a stigma had been attached to his name through various letters presented to the City Council. He wanted to know if he could get a ruling as to whether he was involved by statements made that the Empire Realty Co. Ltd., allegedly collected rent from persons convicted on charges of operating a house of prostitution.

Mayor McGavin suggested that he secure a legal opinion from the city prosecutor.

Increases in Living Bonus Now Effective

Employers are bound to pay the Dominion's cost-of-living bonuses, which were increased all along the line, Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Labor, stated yesterday. All adult male employees and other employees earning $25 a week or more now are to receive 35c a week more. All male employees under 21 years of age and females of any age paid at weekly rates less than $25 will receive an increase of 1.4 per cent on their bonus.

Those who have been receiving $4.25 cost-of-living bonus weekly will now receive $4.60, and those formerly on the percentage basis of 2.4 per cent will get an additional 1.4 per cent.

Victorians Leave For Travel Parley

E. O. Rowebottom, deputy minister of trade and industry and acting commissioner of the British Columbia Government Travel Bureau, and George I. Warren, secretary of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce left by the afternoon boat yesterday for Quebec where they will attend the Canadian Travel Bureau Conference.

The conference will be held November 29 to December 1 and will be attended by representatives of C.P.A., T.C.A., American air lines operating in the Dominion and surface transport agencies.

Third member of the British Columbia delegation, Alderman Dr. G. H. Worthington, a director of the Vancouver Tourist Association, joined the party at Vancouver.

Victoria Offers Help

Victoria District Trades and Labor Council has offered to help a Vancouver group provide Christmas parcels for men and women in the forces in British Columbia, George Wilkinson, secretary, said yesterday, but have not yet received a reply.

Vancouver unions were making up parcels, it was stated, which they called "bundles," and collections are being made for the "United Labor Christmas Cheer Fund for the United Armed Forces."

NEW APPOINTMENTS

New appointments made by provincial orders in council include the following as commissioners for taking affidavits:

Milton Williams, Percy Leicester and Evelyn Ann Gage of Victoria's social service department; Margaret Taylor and F. Margaret Sage, Vancouver social service branch; Hazel Annie Corry, Provincial Secretary department at Nelson, and Edith May Murray, Fort Fraser.

Wins Commission

P.O. RICHARD D. HIGGINS

Who won his commission recently in England, according to a cable received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Higgins, 618 Oliver Street. P.O. Richard Higgins, R.C.A.F., attended Monterey and Oak Bay High Schools, and previous to enlistment, was employed in the Lands Department in the Parliament Buildings. He joined the R.C.A.F. in February of 1941, leaving for overseas two years ago. He is now attached to the R.A.F. Coastal Command.

Woman Loses Life In Highway Crash

A collision between a gravel-laden truck operated by Ajaib Singh, 2650 Prior Street, and a coupe cost the life of Mrs. Janet Locke, Woodland Drive, Milne's Landing, at 8 o'clock yesterday morning.

According to Constables J. Lockie and A. W. Quinn, the truck was proceeding west one mile from Milne's Landing and Mrs. Locke's coupe was being driven east when they collided.

Force of the impact turned the coupe completely around, and the truck stopped off the road in a fill. Mrs. Milne was apparently thrown out of her machine and sustained fatal injuries. She was unconscious when placed in the highway patrol, and died on the way to St. Joseph's Hospital.

Remains were removed to McCall Bros.' Funeral Home.

Suggest Town Planning

Four delegates from the Vancouver Town Planning Commission interviewed Premier John Hart yesterday and presented a request that a provincial planning act be brought before the Legislature at next Spring's session.

Their suggestions included appointment of a commission of architects and engineers and other experts who would plan roads, bridges, highways and other public buildings. It was further suggested that a new townsite be adequately laid out.

Members of the delegation were: Prof. F. E. Buck, U.B.C.; C. D. Hamilton, Harry V. Jackson and Earl M. Bennett.

ST. ANDREW'S NIGHT

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society will hold its annual concert and dance in the A.O.F. Hall Friday at 8 o'clock. Chairman will be Rev. W. D. MacPherson.

A Canadian soldier overseas, Bunny Ward, recently received a letter 117 feet long. It was made up of a number of individual letters from friends pasted together.

Announcements

The Annual General Meeting of Ward Four Liberal Association will be held Tuesday, December 14 at 8 p.m. at Liberal Headquarters, 536 Broughton Street. Nominations for office must be in the hands of the secretary on or before December 8.—L. Smith, Secretary.

Visit the Exhibition of Paintings by C. W. Holliday of British Columbia scenery in Spencer's Art Gallery, 2nd floor. Open daily from 10.30 until 5 o'clock. Admission, 25c. All admissions and sale of paintings in aid of the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Three Home Cooking Stalls, candy, toys, gifts, linen, baby wear, Russian and Ukrainian embroideries, woodwork. Russian Bazaar Saturday, December 4. Coast Hardware Hall, 1416 Douglas Street.

Oaklands P.-T.A. Dance, Friday, December 3. Hunt's orchestra. Tickets may be obtained from Mr. R. McInnes, Oaklands School; Mr. Inspen, Dominion Hotel barber shop, and Mr. S. Anfield, O 6253.

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W.A. Canadian Scottish Regiment. Christmas party. Telephone children's names, O 7987 or O 3718 by December 1.

Sale of Blindcraft at Spencer's Box Department November 23, 24, 25 and 26 by W.A. Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

Webster, the Mechanic, call and deliver. 1730 Haultain Street. B [illegible]67.

Please Help Our Refugees by tagging for us on November 27. B.C. Channel Isle Society. Phone G 4853, E 3505.

Dinner by the Fire. The Wishbone, 5 to 7 p.m. Douglas at Courtney.

City and District

To Broadcast—Stationed with the C.B.C. in Britain, Peter Stursberg, Victorian, will broadcast over CBR at 2.45 this afternoon.

Traffic Cases—Three motorists were each fined $2.50 yesterday in the city police court for infractions of parking regulations. Another paid a $5 fine for ignoring a stop sign.

Building Permit—Luney Brothers [illegible] ing permit for additions to the Vancouver Island Coach Lines Limited building at 629 Broughton Street.

Tax Penalty—A final penalty of 3 per cent will be added to unpaid city property taxes on December 2, it was announced yesterday by George A. Okell, city assessor and collector.

Is Remanded—Robert Carlow, represented by Stuart Henderson, appeared again yesterday in the city police court on a statutory charge and was remanded to next Tuesday morning for trial.

Bail Estreated—Bail of $25 was estreated yesterday in the city police court in the case of a man who failed to appear to answer to a charge of being intoxicated along Johnson Street on Monday.

To Visit East—Norman Yarrow, president of Yarrows Limited, left Victoria at the beginning of the week for Ottawa. The prominent West Coast shipbuilder, who flew East, will visit naval shipyards at Montreal, Quebec and Toronto before returning home.

Dies Suddenly — Rev. F. G. Orchard, M.A., D.D., of Port Hope, and 20 years headmaster of Trinity College, died of sudden heart attack yesterday, according to word received. He is survived by his wife and his son, Lieut. Robert Orchard, R.C.E.

Dangerous Driving—Leslie Gordon Stewart, represented by Arthur P. Dawe, was charged yesterday in the city police court with driving in a manner dangerous to the public on Fort Street on November 22. He was remanded to this morning without plea.

Seek Light—Eighteen residents of Boyd Street presented a petition at the City Hall yesterday suggesting that a street light be installed in the 400 block. The matter will be discussed at the next meeting of the electric light committee of the City Council.

Accidental Death—James Barclay lost his life through an accident last Saturday night, it was revealed yesterday by Dr. E. C. Hart, the coroner. Barclay received fatal burns when his cabin at Lime Bay was destroyed by fire. An investigation was made by Detective Henry F. Jarvis.

Rental Case—In a County Court judgment handed down yesterday by Judge H. H. Shandley, the sum of $106 and costs was awarded Munsha Singh against H. H. Tahouney. Munsha claimed the amount for rent of premises on Roderick Street. J. B. Clearihue, K.C., appeared for the plaintiff.

Trial Set—Herman Patrick Irish appeared before Judge Shandley in County Court yesterday morning on a charge of failing to keep proper books of account for the Victory Fuel Company, and was remanded to 11 o'clock next Tuesday morning for trial. W. B. Colvin appeared for the Crown and Arthur P. Dawe represented Irish.

Wage Schedule—In a letter received at the City Hall yesterday, the British Columbia Engineering Society asked for an opportunity for directors to present their views on a section of the civic salary commission's report referring to suggested minimum and maximum salaries for professional and sub-professional positions.

Pleads Guilty—A man who pleaded guilty yesterday in the city police court to a charge of failing to pay road and poll taxes on November 18 was fined a total of $7 and $2 costs. "I want until the first of the year to pay. My household expenses exceed my income," he pleaded. He was given until December 1 to raise the money.

Two Injured—P. Bremnan and A. E. Grove, leading aircraftmen attached to the R.A.F., received cuts and bruises early yesterday morning when their automobile left the road at Quadra Street and Falmouth Road and crashed into a boulder. The front portion of the machine was heavily damaged. Constable R. Jackson, Saanich police, conveyed the injured men to the Royal Jubilee Hospital for medical attention.

Price Ceiling on Nuts in Canada

OTTAWA, Nov. 23 (CP).—The Price Board announced tonight the establishment of fixed price ceilings for sales of edible tree nuts grown in Canada, production of which is confined mainly to British Columbia with limited output from Eastern provinces.

Effective tomorrow an order issued by E. J. Chambers, administrator of fresh fruits and vegetables, establishes maximum prices at which the grower may sell to various classes of buyers and regulates markups by other distributors.

A producer selling F.O.B. his farm or shipping point may charge 42 cents a pound for walnuts or almonds or [illegible] to a wholesale distributor, 62 cents to a consumer or 47 cents to a retailer or other class of buyer. For filberts or other domestic tree nuts the grower's ceiling is 36 cents to a wholesale distributor, 52 cents to a consumer or 40 cents to other buyers.

Wholesalers and retailers are permitted to add 10 per cent and 25 per cent, respectively, of their selling prices to their delivered cost.

Shrewd Japanese Policy Dangerous

Japan's shrewd political game in countries of the Far East has created problems fraught with many dangers, which may jeopardize the peace of the world, Major J. P. Simon told a large audience at the Tuesday Kiwanis luncheon meeting held in the Empress Hotel.

Major Simon, thirty years a member of Canada's permanent force, is the secretary of the Victoria Branch, Canadian Institute of National Affairs, Rev. J. L. W. McLean said in presenting the speaker. He has long studied the question of Japan's policy.

Describing Japan's Political Welfare and the insidious way in which she has played the part of benefactor in all countries she has conquered, Major Simon said:

"I feel myself that the United Nations have been very definitely put on the spot. Japan's shrewd political game forces us to make promises now, and it is a question of putting them into effect." He added that Japan's careful efforts to instill sympathy and admiration for herself in the countries she dominates created a grave problem and, "unless a way of combating this is found we lose the peace in Asia and consequently in all the world."

Lacking peace in Asia the world faces a great catastrophe. After milking all of military value in occupied China, Japan gradually handed over control to the puppet government at the same time building their prestige with pomp and broadcasts to all the East, especially India, via Singapore stations.

"Don't overlook the fact that they have made a place for themselves among the Chinese," Major Simon said. The Chinese businessman was now able to make better profits than for some time past. It was believed that Nanking now had a standing army of 100,000, he said, besides some 24 ships and airdromes and planes. Twelve ambassadors are now attached to the puppet government there. The establishment of the so-called independent government has been much publicized, and the same has been done in Burma, the Philippines and other occupied territory.

Japan hoped that its prestige would be such that the bulk of the people would offer resistance to inroads of the Western powers and Chiang Kai-Shek. "They hope to build up a great deal of antagonism, partly active and partly passive, and they hope the passive resistance will be great enough to cause civil war and sharp disagreement in the colonial policies of Holland, Great Britain, the United States and China."

J. B. Clearihue moved a vote of thanks to the speaker.

Judgment Reserved In Storage Trial

Trial of G. H. Snow on a charge of storing potatoes on October 7 without authority from the British Columbia Coast Marketing Board, was completed in the city police court yesterday afternoon and Magistrate Henry C. Hall reserved judgment until December 1. Gilbert Hogg, Vancouver, appeared for the prosecution, and Snow was represented by Herbert W. Davey.

William Hutchinson, an inspector for the board, testified that he had found 271 sacks of potatoes stored at Ogden Point Docks and they bore tags showing they had been packed by Snow, of Vancouver.

F. A. Mackay, manager of the board, stated Snow had been an agent for the board for three or four years but had no authority to store potatoes since the firm's agency ended.

In addressing the court Mr. Davey alleged orders of the board were unreasonable, and violated the Criminal Code.

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1 BIRTHS

BURGESS—To Cpl. and Mrs. Charles A. Burgess (nee Winnie Hobbs), at St. Joseph's Hospital on November 23, a daughter, Patricia Anne.

2 DEATHS

FERGUSON—Passed away at the family residence, 1410 Fernwood Road, on November 22, Kenneth P. Ferguson, aged 39 years. He was born in St. Thomas, Ont., and a resident of Victoria for 33 years. He leaves to mourn his passing besides his widow at home, three daughters, Grace and Pamela, Victoria, and Mrs. Allen Gordon, Vancouver; two sons, Pilot Officer Robert Ferguson, R.C.A.F., instructor at Calgary, Hugh, also with the R.C.A.F. in England; one brother, Greer, in Toronto; four sisters, Greer, Jessie and Marjorie in Victoria, and Mrs. J. R. Finley, Salt Lake City. Mrs. Finley is at present in Victoria. Private funeral service will be held at the residence, 1410 Fernwood Road, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. George Biddle officiating. Interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park. The Thomson Funeral Home has charge of the arrangements. No flowers by request.

COPAS—On November 23, 1943, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Sidney Owen Copas, of 1234 Oxford Street, aged 74 years, born in London, England, and a resident of Victoria since 1907. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Adelaide Grace Copas; one daughter, Mrs. William J. Delehunte, of Victoria; three sons, Edwin G., of Vancouver, Roy and Herman, of Victoria, and six grandchildren. Funeral service in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 p.m. Cremation at Royal Oak.

HONESS—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on November 20, 1943, Mrs. Hilda Honess, of 500 John Street, aged 80 years, widow of Thomas George Honess, born in Beverley, Yorkshire, England, and a resident of Victoria for 23 years. She leaves one daughter, Miss Bettie Honess, at home; one sister, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Victoria; one brother, Frank Carter, Winnipeg, Man., and three nephews.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 1 p.m. Rev. Canon E. Y. Bird officiating. Interment in family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

LANE—On November 22, 1943, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Mrs. Isabelle Lane, widow of George Lane, of 2324 Blanshard Street, aged 68 years, born in Winnipeg, Man., and a resident of Victoria for 20 months. Survived by four sisters, Mrs. E. Fulton and Mrs. John Clegbrook, both in Victoria; Mrs. Louise Frazier, of Minnesota, and Mrs. Margaret Peebles, of Lockport, Man.; one brother, Duncan A. McDonald, St. Andrews, Man.; nephews and nieces in Winnipeg; one nephew in Yakima, Wash., and one in Victoria; also a niece in Venice, Cal.
The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel and will be forwarded on Wednesday, November 24, to Winnipeg, Man., where service and interment will be held.

LUDEN—At the residence, 10[illegible] Charles Street, on November 2[illegible], 1943, Dr. Georgina M. Luden. Funeral strictly private. No flowers by request.

POST—Passed away on November 22, 1943, at 800 Bushnell Avenue, Mrs. Margaret Post, aged 102 years, born in Richmond, Ont., July 1, 1841. The late Mrs. Post had resided in Victoria for 23 years, a former resident of Belleville, Ont. She was a member of the Metropolitan United Church for many years. She is survived by one son, Charles A. Post, of Victoria; two grandsons and two great-grandsons, and also five great-grandchildren.
Funeral service Wednesday afternoon at 1.30 in the Thomson Funeral Chapel. Rev. A. R. Whitehouse will officiate. Interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

WELD—There passed away at Jubilee Hospital on November 22, 1943, Mrs. Lillian Rose Weld, born in England. The late Mrs. Weld had resided in this city for the past ten years. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Guy Weld, of 607 Government Street; one brother in Montreal, one sister in London, England; one sister in New York.
The remains are resting at McCall Brothers' Floral Funeral Chapel, where the funeral service will be held on Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock, followed by interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

3 MARRIAGES

JOHN-PENKETH — Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Penketh, 2740 Avebury Avenue, announce the marriage between their only daughter, Doreen, and P.O. Dorien Raynham Thomas John, R.A.F., eldest son of Mrs. R. M. Cowden, Tynygwaddu House, Miskin, Pontyclun, S. Wales, which was solemnized by Rev. F. Comley, assisted by S.L. Mosses, R.A.F., in St. John's Church on Tuesday evening.

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41A SWAPS

TRADE—1931 ESSEX COACH FOR A boat. E 0400

42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

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FOR SALE — TWO YEARLING BULLS. N. Symons, Brookleigh Road.

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STUD—PUREBRED, LICENSED BUCKS. Fee $3. Smart, E 1243

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48 ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

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49 ROOMS TO RENT

BED-SITTING-ROOM WITH KITCHEN; also two-roomed cabin. Cadboro Bay. Phone G 8799

49A FURNISHED

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49B UNFURNISHED

TO RENT — SITTING-ROOM (OPEN fireplace), furnished bedroom, unfurnished, kitchen privileges. Near car. Box 436 Colonist.

51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

51A FURNISHED

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, adults only. Apply 1006 Hillside.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING ROOM SUITable for two men. Phone G 3661

ONE FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING room. Phone B 5507

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52A FURNISHED

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM FOR TWO. Oak Bay district preferred. Box 478 Colonist.

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TWO OR THREE UNFURNISHED rooms, must be quiet, small girl. Box 466, Colonist.

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WANTED, BY PERMANENT CIVILIAN, married, cottage, duplex or bungalow, unfurnished or furnished. Phone B 3740.

55 HOUSES TO RENT

TWO-ROOMED SEMI-FURNISHED cabin, in country (no bathroom); $15 monthly, including city light and water. Colquitz 794.

55A FURNISHED

FOUR-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, fully furnished with basement and furnace on Oldfield Road, Elk Lake district; $35 per month. Possession Nov. 28. Adults only. Apply Box 497, Colonist.

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57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

57B UNFURNISHED

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65 AUTOMOBILES

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65 AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

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Check Workers Before Leaving

VANCOUVER, Nov. 23 (CP).—Selective Service at Vancouver has asked permission of the Federal Government to continue a medical examination service, already set up in the shipyards, for men who ask to leave the yards for health reasons.

More than 800 workers have left Vancouver shipbuilding yards for "health reasons" in a seven-month period this year.

The yards now refuse to accept a man's notice of termination until he has been examined by a shipyard doctor.

SGT. LANG PRESUMED DEAD

Sgt. James M. R. Lang previously reported missing on active service, is now, for official purposes, presumed to be dead, according to his wife, Mrs. J. M. R. Lang, 518 Michigan Street, by whom the official message was received yesterday.

THREE COMMITTEES

EDMONTON, Nov. 23 (CP).—Government officials announced today three new local postwar reconstruction committees have been established. They were at Vermilion, Crossfield and Grande Prairie.

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The coal strike in Alberta and British Columbia has definitely ended. According to official statement, an increase of 16,451 tons of coal from Vancouver Island mines [illegible] same month will partly offset the loss during the coal strike this month.

The Fall Assizes ended recently when Mr. Justice J. M. Cody imposed 14 sentences, ranging from four months to three years.

John Line, 641 Superior Street, and a veteran of the first Great War, has a "bumper" Victory garden. Potatoes he hoed from a single hill in his garden on Oxford Street between Cook and Linden Avenue weighed 18½ pounds.

Victoria workers will share in 20 awards to be presented to Canadian war workers as tokens of appreciation on behalf of the workers of Holland. Awards are hand-made miniatures of the Dutch submarine U-108.

Sgt. Jerry Brooks, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brooks, 918 Vancouver Street, and stationed near Montreal, was killed when the training plane in which he was flying crashed near St. Louis de Champlain, 90 miles northeast of Montreal.

It seemed too good to be true when Lce.-Cpl. T. Graf learned that he could telephone to his girl friend, Miss Ida Wilkie, in Viscount, Sask., after winning the long-distance phone call contest at the dance sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the K. of C. Hut held at the Crystal Garden.

According to a survey of the Department of Agriculture, millions of Spring bulbs are shipped annually from Vancouver Island to all parts of Canada and the United States. It was further stated that the Greater Victoria district produces as much as all other parts of the province combined.

Premier John Hart, R. W. Mayhew, M.P., Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.P.P., and W. T. Straith, K.C., M.P.P., were the chief speakers at the annual meeting of the Victoria Liberal Association.

Recently false fire alarms turned in in the city have resulted in the death of one fireman and injuries to two others.

Barnacled, with the sea-crust on her plates, the schooner Lorna-D slipped quietly to her moorings in Victoria's inner harbor—61 days

since touching her last port. "All we want is a bath and fresh food," laughed Mr. and Mrs. Davidge and son, Dick. Back from a five-year voyage to the South Seas, the "crew" were reminiscent of pirates with luxuriant beards.

Visioning a world where in the future "the great air-ocean will be free and all human intercourse free and at peace, Sandham Graves, editor-in-chief of The Daily Colonist, told Kiwanis members at the Empress Hotel that this was the important message he wished to give them.

The Canadian Pacific Railway coastal steamer Princess Elaine, outbound for Nanaimo with 200 passengers, ran aground just inside Vancouver's harbor mouth in the worst fog of the season. Passengers were removed until she could be refloated.

Well known along the Coast, Leslie T. Ellis, of 573 Dallas Road, C.P.R. purser and a native-born Victorian, died suddenly aboard the Princess Adelaide. He was 54 years old, and had served with the Canadian Pacific for 26 years.

British Columbia shipyards have produced well over 60 per cent of a total of 200 merchant ships of the 10,000-ton class that have been built in Canada, it was learned recently.

The Malahat logging question and the conservation of scenic timber stands in general will be given serious consideration following the recommendations of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

Beginning shortly, all male citizens of the United States residing on Vancouver Island, between the ages of 18 and 44 must register in person at the American Consulate.

A report which virtually establishes a "civil service" for the City Hall staff was unanimously adopted by the City Council on the motion of Alderman Archie Wills. It calls for standardization and classification of positions and salaries.

Where the Saanich School Board is concerned the question concerning Mount View High School and the principal, Dr. J. M. Thomas, is closed, with a decision in favor of Dr. Thomas staying on as principal.

B.C. Police Commissioner T. W. [illegible] Minister Harry Cathcart, I.S.O., although unable to attend the vice-regal investiture at Rideau Hall in Ottawa, will be invested by the Earl of Athlone, when next the Governor-General visits Victoria.

The large deer, favorite of many sightseers to Beacon Hill Park, which successfully eluded kidnappers by persons unknown recently, when they cut open the wire fence in an effort to steal the tame buck.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward, entertained at a reception at Government House, when their guests were 160 blind people. This is an annual affair of many years standing, and the reception had an exceptionally interesting programme arranged by Mrs. T. A. Rickard, president of the Women's Auxiliary.

Internationally known artists, Max and Leila Pirani, gave Victorians a musical treat recently, when they played in joint recital in the Empress ballroom to a capacity audience under the auspices of the Musical Arts Society.

Mrs. W. E. Rayfuse, manager of the National Housing Registry, stated that at the end of October 1,041 families (not individuals) were awaiting accommodation in Victoria.

Many cars were "hitched to the curb" at the Crystal Garden Ranch when the "ranch girls" of the Junior Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Hospital held a "Wild West" night in the lower ballroom.

With few prairie workmen expected in Victoria this Winter, National Selective Service reports a shortage of skilled mechanics, lathe hands, welders, electricians and iron workers' helpers.

Edward Stewart, 512 Northcott Street, and William Harris, 574 Simcoe Street, have been awarded the Order of the British Empire, civilian Division, for service when their respective vessels were attacked by the enemy.

With a reserve of $10,000,000 which he expects will amount to $15,000,000 by next March 31, British Columbia will be ready to "step out on its own" toward postwar rehabilitation, Premier John Hart told the Victoria Liberal Association annual meeting.

O. L. Alexander, assistant commissioner of fisheries, showed brother Rotarians moving pictures of "Salmon Trolling Off the British Columbia Coast" at a luncheon at the Empress. He explained that the trolling business has brought British Columbia into the leading position of Canadian fisheries wealth.

As soon as official word comes through from Ottawa, temperature reports will again be published throughout the Dominion.

Newly appointed is William Horsey Cope to the office of Cumberland's police and stipendiary magistrate. He will serve without salary.

Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.P.P., addressed the University Women's Club on the subject of "Women's Place in the Postwar World" in a recent meeting.

Arriving overseas this week were L.A.C. Donald B. Johnston, R.C.A.F., 1320 Dallas Road and Sgt. Pilot Ted S. Forbes, R.C.A.F., of Sidney and well known in North Saanich.

Mrs. W. Ellis, president of the Victoria Musical Art Society, announced in aid of the musical scholarship fund Smetana's light opera "The Bartered Bride," a film based on a story of Bohemia will be presented in the Victoria High School auditorium.

Across the vast Dominion of Canada, people will pay tribute to their heroic men of the sea by celebrating official "Navy Week." During this time press, pulpit and radio will combine to keep Canada conscious of the superlative work of the R.C.N. and the Navy League.

Three days without food, their fishing boat the Agnes C sunk with all their personal belongings, the six man crew were yesterday safe at a West Coast port.

With 100 babies born at the Royal Jubilee Hospital during the month of October, the highest number of births ever recorded in any one month since the hospital was built, the board of directors discussed tentative plans for the new maternity pavilion.

Forestry is the latest industrial field which has been invaded by the so-called weaker sex. A number of women are at present engaged on assembling, bundling and shipping Christmas trees at Cobble Hill.

Commissions received during the week by Victorians include: Pilot Officer D. B. Ascot, who graduated from Winnipeg, receiving his air-bomber wing and commission simultaneously [illegible] Sharpe, graduated from Claresholm, Alberta; Pilot Officer D. Pudney, R.C.A.F., graduated from No. 4, S.F.T.S. Also J. E. Thomson, Nanaimo, R.C.A.F., who received his commission overseas in England.

Flt. Lt. Mussell L. Moodie, a veteran air-observer, received his pilot's wings at Vulcan, Manitoba; Thomas M. Smith, R.C.N.V.R., who has been promoted from the lower deck to probation sub-lieutenant. Donald Davis, R.C.N.V.R., promoted to lieutenant; Denis M. Collison, R.C.N.V.R., promoted from lower deck to probationary sub-lieutenant; Maurice H. Walker, R.C.N.V.R., 1811 Stanley Avenue, promoted to lieutenant.

The new exalted ruler of the Elks, Victoria Lodge No. 2, is C. C. Howard.

Alderman Edward Williams filed the first City Council nomination papers at the City Hall. He seeks re-election to serve a 2-year term.

The annual gathering of pictorial photographers of Victoria will be held in the clubrooms of the B.C. Civil Service Camera Club.

At the annual meeting of the U.E. Loyalists Association held at the Y.W.C.A., H. S. Pringle was re-elected president, and Roy Manser was named vice-president.

The first of the 1943-44 Winter series of Sunday evening programmes by the R.C.N. band and assisting artists will be presented at the Royal Victoria Theatre shortly.

Rev. W. W. Bolton, former headmaster of University School, Victoria, marked his 85th birthday by taking a 40-mile stroll.

Workers of the Victoria plant of Boeing Aircraft of Canada have organized a local branch of the Boeing Social and Athletic Club, and already have planned a dance at the Crystal Garden of which part of the proceeds will go to the Navy League.

While visiting in Victoria, D. C. Coleman, chairman and president of the C.P.R., intimated there may be an extension to the coastal line which now serves 70 points.

Victoria's Crimson Tide came through with a convincing win over the invading ruggers from the University of British Columbia in the

McKechnie Cup series at Macdonald Park before another large crowd by the surprisingly one-sided score of 29-3. Victoria now plays its next two games on the Mainland and are strong favorites to win the cup for the seventh straight season.

A new recreational centre at 1415 Blanshard Street was dedicated by the Canadian Jewish Congress of Canada to the armed services of the United Nations.

With Norm Baker dropping 30 points, R.C.A.F. basketball squad, present Canadian champions, registered a 67-54 triumph over the University of British Columbia in the first inter-city game of the season here at the High School gymnasium.

More than 1,000 Victorians crowded the Crystal Garden last Saturday to see a spectacular exhibition of diving by Al Patnik, United States champion, and George Athans, the Canadian titleholder. Athans is a Vancouver boy, but is a student at the University of Washington.

More One-Room Schools Have Library Service

C. K. Morison, provincial librarian and superintendent of the public library commission said yesterday that library service to one-room schools in the province had been increased. Last year 153 schools received this service and this year there were 34 more schools, a growth of 22 per cent in schools now availing themselves of this service. Co-operation of Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education, and an increased appropriation had made this possible.

DIRECTORS RE-ELECTED

TORONTO, Nov. 23 (CP).—Reports were adopted and directors re-elected at the annual meeting here today of Vermilata Oils, Limited. T. M. Mungovan, vice-president, reported the company owns 3,000 acres in the Vermilion Field, Alberta; owns two wells outright and has a half-interest in three others. As the field expands, he said, the company proposes to finance drilling of additional wells.

John Day Will Run For City Council

John Day, who has been active in the life of the City of Victoria for many years, has decided to enter the contest for alderman.

Mr. Day's friends have been urging him for some time to take his stand and enter the civic contest, and he decided to stand on a reform platform and to offer his services [illegible] engineer in an endeavor to have a closer check kept on the watersheds and water mains, to preserve the purity of the water and health of the citizens.

If elected, Mr. Day says he will make every endeavor to preserve the good name of the city "and to denounce every form of connivance and corrupt practice and help to make the City of Victoria safe for its women and children, with enforcement of its laws and by-laws for the protection of all its citizens."

Mr. Day has recently been active in the campaign against compulsory chlorination by order in council from Ottawa and says he will have the support of the recently-formed Anti-Chlorination League of Victoria.

Stationers Sell Savings Stamps

Canadian stationers, booksellers and allied trades are sponsoring a war savings campaign for November and December which has as its objective $1,000,000 sales in excess of the same period of last year.

British Columbia and the Yukon trade, directed by H. E. Miller, have pledged themselves to raise $148,000, or $100,000 above last year's sales.

With every stamp bought during these two months, a ticket on one hundred prizes will be given as well as an attractive Christmas card, valued at ten cents, and especially designed by Canadian artists for gifts of War Savings Stamps.

The prizes, which have been donated by British Columbia stationers and allied trades, have a total value of $1,500 and include many valuable and scarce articles.

The first prize is a living-room ensemble and consists of a Chesterfield, two arm chairs, carpet, lamp, coffee table and end table worth in all $450.

The second prize, valued at $187, is an automatic electric washing machine, while the third prize is a mantel radio costing $100.

An electric vacuum cleaner valued at $72.50 and a lady's bicycle, valued at $46, are fourth and fifth prizes.

The sixth prize is a man's bicycle, valued at $25, and seventh and eighth prizes, with a $25 value each, are an aniline leather duffle bag and table silverware.

Ninth and tenth prizes, trilite lamp and occasional chair, are worth $20 and in addition there are 90 other prizes of value.

Christmas cards, free tickets and War Savings Stamps will be available at all stationers, department stores, book and gift shops, libraries, printers and most drug stores throughout British Columbia and the Yukon.

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

"CIGARETTE"—THE WAR IS CATCHING UP WITH IT

"The cigarette," wrote Oscar Wilde, "is a perfect type of a perfect pleasure . . . it leaves one unsatisfied . . . What more can you want?"

Perhaps another cigarette will satisfy . . . and if it does, get your satisfaction while you can . . . the war is catching up with this "perfect pleasure" . . . the crisis will be upon us any month now.

Cigarette smoking seems to have started in Spain in the eighteen hundreds; about the middle of the nineteenth century it was still regarded as a sort of effete gesture which took hold particularly in France . . . "the habit of smoking cigarettes is quite ta grande mode, particularly with certain French ladies," wrote a traveler in 1842.

War seems to do things for cigarette smoking.

The Crimean War gave it a fillip all over Europe whence it was transported to the United States. World War I boosted cigarette addiction tremendously, while World War II is following the pattern of greatly accelerated consumption by men, women and children of this universal solace.

The word "cigarette" is from the French form, which in turn derives from the Spanish "cigarito," diminutive of the Castilian "cigarro."

Anent "cigarro" (cigar) there is lore with too much philological foundation to be put down as a pipe dream.

It is that "cigarro" as the name for the compact roll of tobacco leaf for smoking, was suggested by the Spanish "cicada" (tree beetle), an insect whose shape is cylindrical with a conical apex.

The Spaniards apparently were the first Europeans to appreciate this progenitor of the cigarette.

As invaders they borrowed it from the natives of the West Indies and transplanted the custom to their possessions, thence the practice girdled the globe.

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

BRACKEN TO SEE GAME

WINNIPEG, Nov. 23 (CP).—John Bracken, national leader of the Progressive Conservative party, announced today he would interrupt his visit to Manitoba to see the Dominion Rugby football final between Winnipeg R.C.A.F. Bombers and Hamilton Wildcats in Toronto on Saturday. He will leave by plane Thursday night.

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